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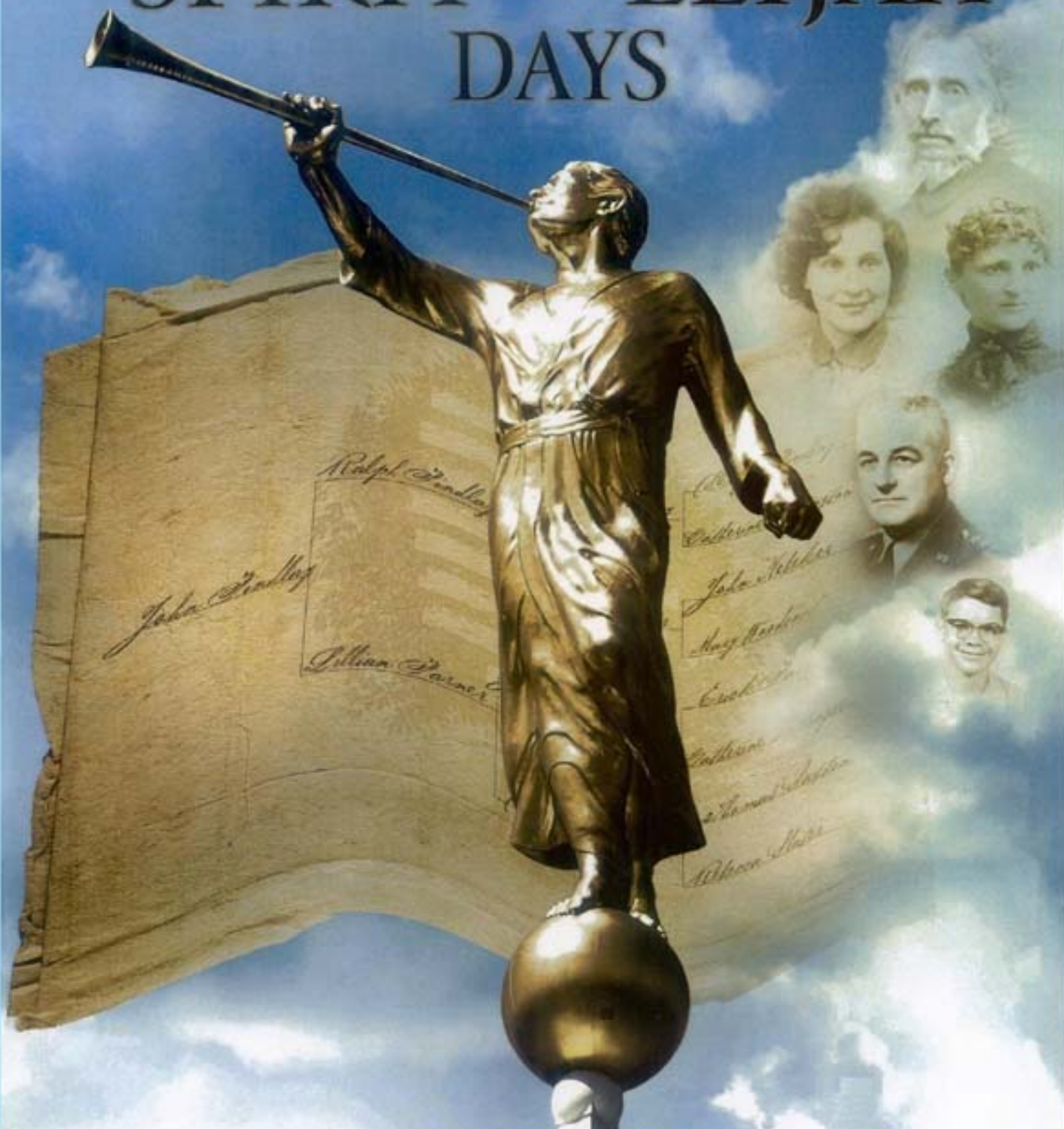
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These authors have presented a comprehensive history of the migration of several families from North and South Carolina through Kentucky to Missouri and points west. To celebrate the 1976 bicentennial, they have compiled an informative and interesting profile on several main families. Supported by 119 bibliographical sources, this book is invaluable to the researcher of those families.

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SPIRIT OF ELIJAH DAYS



"BEHOLD, I WILL SEND YOU ELIJAH THE PROPHET BEFORE THE COMING OF THE GREAT AND DREADFUL DAY OF THE LORD: AND HE SHALL TURN THE HEART OF THE FATHERS TO THE CHILDREN, AND THE HEART OF THE CHILDREN TO THEIR FATHERS, LEST I COME AND SMITE THE EARTH WITH A CURSE. MALACHI 4:5-6

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INTRODUCTION

Robert James Owens and Billie Louise Owens' relationship has not been determined at this time (2010). However, their collaboration on several publications as listed below is proof of a profound love for family and ancestors.

Several attempts were made to connect with our authors, but unsuccessful.

You can access their various work online at www.openlibrary.org and other websites.

This publication "**Sons of Frontiersmen**" can be accessed at [http://openlibrary.org/books/OL4594448M/Sons of Frontiersmen](http://openlibrary.org/books/OL4594448M/Sons_of_Frontiersmen)

They have also collaborated on various other family historical publications:

"Genealogy of William A. Lewis born 1773 of North Carolina and Associated Families"

Published 1986 in Canon City, Colorado

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"Sims Kin, History & Genealogy: The Descendants, William Symes of Poundsford and related Families" Published 1982 in Canon City, Colorado

[http://openlibrary.org/works/OL4881360W/Sims kin](http://openlibrary.org/works/OL4881360W/Sims_kin)

This publication, "**Sons of Frontiersmen**" offers the reader a glimpse into the lives of many North and South Carolinians, their migration through Kentucky to Missouri and points beyond.

Primarily dealing with the Rowland, Whitmire, Isbell, Parker, Crawford, Johnson, Hill, Ridgely, Isaac, Pottinger, Beall, Westall, Wade, Hinson, Hagood and allied families, covers their arrival on American shores if known and their descendants.

Billie and Robert in their own words, "*In this year of bicentennial of our great country, it is fitting to complete a history of my family background. My intention is to trace the lineage and history of my mother's family, the Rowlands and Whitmires of Missouri.*"

"All families with these surnames that are related as far back as so far discovered and known to their entry into America are included. The purpose in telling this story is two-fold: to share and to record."

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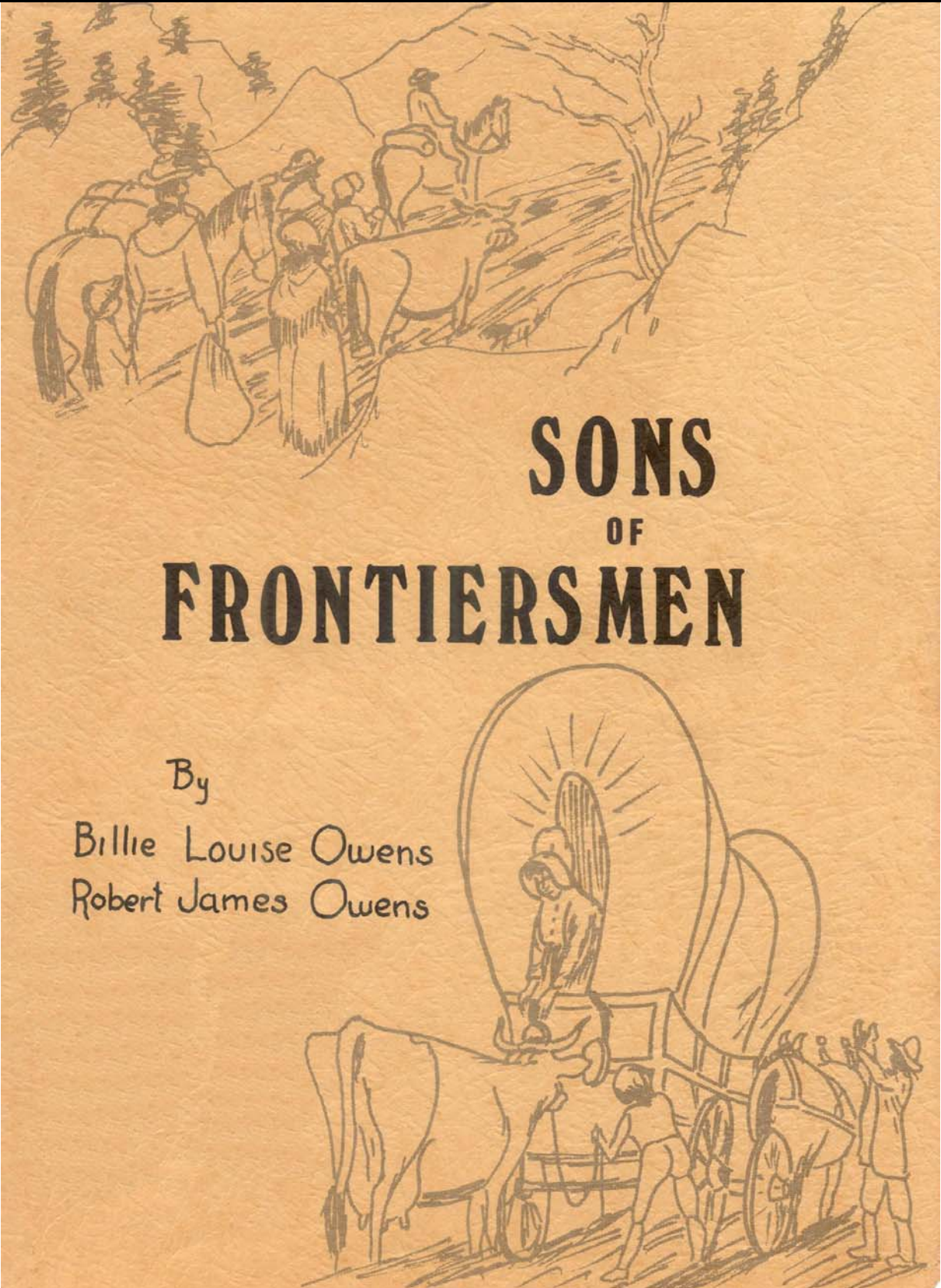


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PREFACE

In this year of the bicentennial of our great country, it is fitting to complete a history of my family background. After considerable research, the title SONS OF FRONTIERSMEN seemed most appropriate; with rare exception, each generation was a pioneer in a new frontier.

My intention is to trace the lineage and history of my mother's family, the Rowlands and Whitmires of Missouri. All families with these surnames that are related as far back as so far discovered and known to their entry into America are included. Many of the later generations have not yet been established. Associated families of antecedents of the women marrying into the family and the descendants of girls where they have contributed to this story are included. The majority of the substance is documented, however, some is by tradition, and therefore, subject to human fallacy; and we regret any errors which might have slipped in.

Genealogies are seldom, if ever, completed; therefore, this history is told as known now with the hopes of publishing a second part when, and if, substantial additional information becomes known. The purpose in telling this story is twofold: to share and to record.

In the interest of clarity, we offer the following explanations.

Both the Rowland and Whitmire families are given as family tree of descendants; antecedents of these two families and their wives are given as a pedigree. An * (asterisk) precedes the name of all of my own pedigree ancestors.

Women are listed in the index by their maiden name.

For the sake of brevity, the dates in the lineage have been abbreviated: month, first. For example: July 4, 1776, is written 7-4-1776.

Also, abbreviations are used as follows: born, b; married, m; died, d; and place of burial, br.

The indexing of families by generations are as 1, A, a, (1), (A), (a). Those marked 1, 2, 3, and 4 indicate brothers and sisters; similarly a, b, c, d, e, and f, or A, B, C, and D. Where a number or letter is skipped means those in the order missing are not known of any further.



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Numerous people have contributed to the completeness of the story contained herein and to name them would be exhaustive. We can only thank all that have responded to letters and personal interviews and other assistance rendered. Our only hope is that they think the end result is worthy of their effort.



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COMING OF THE ROWLANDS

The Rowland family that eventually migrated into Franklin County, Missouri, can be fully documented back to Chatam County, North Carolina, in 1790. However, every indication has led me to believe that they originated in the American Colonies through a Casper Rouland, who entered German Town, Pennsylvania, which is a part of Philadelphia, Penn., on the Ship Friendship, on October 12, 1741, from Rotterdam, as a refugee, probably of Palatinete, Germany, where the Protestants were being slaughtered. Casper was a shoemaker by trade. A copy of the original manifest of the Ship Friendship with each passenger's personal signature is included in the Appendixes. An "X" is placed behind Casper Rouland's signature for ease of identification. Casper made the mark O for his signature either meaning he was illiterate or there was a language barrier. The spelling was there on Rouland. For the two, three, or maybe four generations it is spelled Roland in most cases. Then it was anglicized to Rowland. The name Casper has two other variable, and often interchangeable, names for the same persons; Gasper and Jasper. Particularly during the period of 1790 to 1850, and even later, most of the Rowlands only signed various documents with their "X" so that the recording clerk was allowed to spell the names either as they sounded or as they themselves were used to spelling it.

A missing link or generation exists between the entry of Casper Rouland into the Colonies and the appearance of Jesse Roland in Chatam County, North Carolina. Several families can be eliminated that have been reconstructed of the time simply because the name Jesse never appears in them and the total family is known. However, there are several open end groups such as the children of the aforesaid Casper that have not been established by anyone to the best of my knowledge.

Another individual that I have strong feeling might fit in the picture is a Burwell Roland that appeared as Godparent to Freeman Hartwell in Albermarle Parish Record of Virginia in 3-6-1774. In several earlier years a Jesse, Wm., Mary, Rebecca, and Tabitha Rollands were also named among others for several Ezell children in the same parish. This may have been the source of Burl, Burrell and Burel as the spelling varies in Jesse's descendents. Burwell Rowland was granted a land grant for his Revolutionary War service in the Virginias. A military land warrant was also issued to Elizabeth Alsabrook, a sister and heir to Jessie Rowland deceased February 7, 1818, in Edgecomb County of North Carolina. These may all be in the lineage of the Jesse Roland of our family and yet they may not. It is still to be proved.

In 1760 a Casper Rowland and Elder Daniel Litterman emigrated to the Carolinas, there met Hendricks, Martins, Chapman, and Rogers, and them moved into Kentucky. Casper was a German Baptist Brethern which are the present day Church of Brethern. In that day and time they were referred to by many as Dunkards because of their practice of immersion but more properly called German Tunkers.



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The Rowland family that we can be positive about arrived in the North Carolinas, then at least part of the family moved into Kentucky about the turn of the century as that country was being settled more fully. The family first settled in Bourbon County, then around Warren County near what is now known as Bowling Green. There was another Rowland clan or so in the several counties surrounding Lexington, Kentucky. What, if any, their relationship is is not known. However, there are a number of given names among them that have on various documents appeared to be closely connected with the specific family that will be followed out in this story.

After several of the Rowland boys and girls married in Warren County, Kentucky, apparently some of them to brothers and sisters (namely the CRAWFORD family), at least four of the boys proceeded to move on into Missouri as it was being opened up. Land was more plentiful there and mining also was at its peak. One son is known to have died in a mine in Alabama before the family completed the move to Missouri. All the Rowlands in the Warren County, Kentucky, area left before 1820. Some may have stayed elsewhere in Kentucky as records do indicate. No known burial plots of Rowlands exist in Warren County, Ky., and it seems reasonable that several must have died in the twenty odd years of inhabitation there. Therefore, their remains must exist under the numerous unmarked graves of the area. Apparently some of the Rowlands first went into the counties around Potasi, Missouri, which is the oldest town in that area now known as Missouri. It was an early Spanish mining town dating back far before France claimed the country. From here several Rowlands appear to have moved up the Missouri River into what is now Central Missouri, north of the River, others went south, deeper into the Ozark Mountains. Our story will be of those that stayed in Washington County, then on into Franklin and Gasconade Counties, near or on Indian Creek and Boone Creek of the Merrimac River. It was in the Potasi area that the Rowland family married into several of the Isbell family, formerly of the Warren County, Kentucky, area.

My particular family has lost the Rowland name from lack of male heirs. However, there are numerous Rowlands throughout the country that are descendants of the Jesse Rowland that left North Carolina and Archibald L. Rowland that populated Kentucky and Burl Rowland that populated Missouri. Some of these are still in the Franklin, Gasconade, Crawford, Washington, St. Francois, and St. Louis Counties of Missouri. Others have opened up other new frontiers from there; namely, Arkansas, Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, the Dakotas, and California, for a few.



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-JOSEPH ROLAND-	-DANIEL ROLAND	-ELIZABETH ROLAND
	-MARY ROLAND	John Wilson, Jr.
	Abraham Welty	-ISAAC ROLAND
	-RACHEL ROLAND	Sevilier B. Enlow
	George Young	-SAMUEL ROLAND
	-ANN ROLAND	Susan M. Sheelse
	Chas. Halcomb	-ENOS ROLAND
	Jonathan Halcomb	Susan Alexander
	-BARBARA ROLAND	-MARY ROLAND
	William Hamm	-WILLIAM ROLAND
	-JAMES ROLAND	Lucy Ann Rosser
	Elizabeth Lee	-DAVILLA ROLAND
	-MELANDY ROLAND	JOSEPH
	Greenberry Thompson	-MARGARETHA
	-JESSIE ROLAND, JR.	John Mueller
	-ELIZABETH ROLAND-----	-BURRELL PARKER
	Robert Rowland Burk	Sara Riddle
	-JOSEPH ROLAND-----	-JOHN
	Elizabeth Keithly	Ann Cook
	-----Annie Hosteller	-MARTHA ELIZABETH
	-JASPER ROLAND-----	Jessie B Phillips
	Elizabeth Keithly	-WILLIAM
	-MARTHA	Louise Smith
	-IRAM	-JACOB
	Helen Gilbert	Elizabeth Haywood
	-WILLIAM K.	-SUSAN J.
	-LEVINA	Hewah Harrison
	William Gilbert	-GRILLS ELLIOT
	-WILLIAM	Lura Celeste Whitmire
	-SUSAN	-MANERVA CAROLINE
	-LUVANA	Ben Hutton
	-WINDROW	-BURRELL T. ROWLAND
	-BETSY	-SUSAN
	-PATSY	George Woodruff
	-SALLEY	-SARA C.
	-NANCY	George Warner
	-JAMES W.	-JOSEPH HENRY
	-DELANY	Mary E. Hartmann
	-JESSIE ROLAND JR.	-ANDREW THOMAS
	-SARAH	Nancy Ellen Green
	Wiley Duckworth	-JAMES ARCHIBALD
	-BURL ROLAND-----	Elizabeth W. Brown
	Susana Caroline Isbell	-SARA CAROLINE
	-MARGARET ROLAND	David C. Tayloe
	W. E. Alley	-LAURA A.
	-CARL FREDRICK	Dr. Wm. J. Mason
	Carolina Louise Husman	-JOHN W.
	-ARCHIBALD YOUNG	-ETTA V.
	-ELIZABETH ANN	-MARTHA A.
	-JOSEPH-----	-MARY ELIZABETH
	Sarah Ann Ferguson	-SUSAN JANE
	-JAMES	Hugh Harrison
	-EDWARD S.	
	-WILLIAM	
-JESSIE ROLAND-	-JOHN Y. ROLAND-----	
Sr.	Margaret Crawford	
	-SALLY ROLAND	
	John Nanarrow	
	-ARCHIBALD L ROLAND-	
	Susannah Crawford	
	-BETSY ROLAND	
	Michael Crawford	
	-JACOB ROLAND	
	-POLLY ROLAND	
	David Kirby	
-BARBARA ROLAND		
Jacob Keithly		



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ROWLANDS

JOSEPH ROLAND (ROWLAND)

Joseph was probably a brother to Jessie Roland, Sr.. He married Catherine and was living in Bourbon County, Kentucky, by the 1800 census. By 1802 he had moved to Warren County, Kentucky, where he gave consent for his daughter MARY to marry Abraham Welty. In 1810 he gave similar consent for RACHEL to marry. Between 1804 and 1815 he gained six warrants to land amounting to 825 acres on Lick and Barren Fork of Drake Creek in Warren County. Joseph and Catherine had at least seven children: DANIEL, MARY, RACHEL, ANN, BARBARA, JAMES, and MELANDY.

- A. DANIEL, d. Warren County, Kentucky, 1805.
- B. MARY, b. after 1784, m. 6-3-1802 Abraham Welty in Warren County, Kentucky, with Daniel Rowland her security and with the permission of her mother and father.
- C. RACHEL, b. after 1784, m. 12-5-1810 George Young in Warren County, Kentucky, having the consent of her parents.
- D. ANN, m. (1) 4-30-1803 Chas. Halcomb, (2) 12-1-1803 Jonathan Halcomb in Warren County, Kentucky.
- E. BARBARA, m. 1-15-1810 William Hamm in Warren County, Kentucky.
- F. JAMES, m. 8-20-1813 Elizabeth Lee in Warren County, Kentucky.
- G. MELANDY, m. 2-28-1818 Greenberry Thompson in Warren County, Ky.

Nothing further is known about any of the descendents of the Joseph Roland above.

*JESSIE ROLAND

*JESSIE ROLAND is the first Roland that can be established for sure. The name is first spelled Roland and then in the next two generations it appears as Roland or Rowland according to the recorder. Many of them could not themselves write. Jessie, Sr., as we will refer to him, was born April 28, 1752, was a private in the Revolutionary War, and was found in the 1790 (1st census) in Chatam County, North Carolina, with a family of five sons and five females. In the 1800 census he was still in Chatam County, North Carolina, with only two sons, one of which was under 10 years old and one older daughter and wife living next to a Young Roland with two boys under 10, most likely one of his sons named Jessie. Jessie, Sr., probably was married to Sarah Simpson, b. 1759/69, d. 1-28-1829. This is assumed since a John Rowland in 1841 attested to the Travels of Isham Burk for a Revolutionary pension. Isham Burk had married Elizabeth Rowland, John's sister and daughter of Sarah Simpson (who died on 1-28-1829 at 80 to 90 years of age).



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Jesse, Sr., and Sarah had at least eleven children. Among these were JESSIE, ELIZABETH, JOSEPH, GASPER or JASPER, JOHN Y., ARCHIBALD L., BETSY, JACOB, POLLY, TENNIE, and SALLY.

1. JESSIE ROLAND, JR., b. before 1774.
2. ELIZABETH ROLAND, b. before 1775, m. before 1789 Isham Burk.
3. JOSEPH ROLAND, b. 1774-90, m. Elizabeth Keithly.
4. JASPER ROLAND, b. 1777, m. 1806 Elizabeth (Keithly) Rowland.
5. JOHN Y. ROLAND, b. 1774-84, m. Margaret Crawford.
- *6. ARCHIBALD L. ROLAND, b. 1774-84, d. 1853, m. 1809 Susannah Crawford.
7. BETSY ROLAND, b. 1787-90, m. 1808 Michael Crawford.
8. JACOB ROLAND, b. probably 1790.
9. POLLY ROLAND, b. 1790-1800, m. 4-20-1814 David Kirby, son of Solomon Kirby.
10. TENNIE ROLAND, b. 1790-1800, m. 1806 Abraham Keithly; they moved to Missouri in 1806, lived one year, and returned to Kentucky, and he died shortly thereafter.
11. SALLY ROLAND, m. 6-22-1803 John Nanarrow.

1. JESSIE ROLAND, JR.

Jessie, Jr., was apparently the first son of Jessie, Sr., born before 1774 in North Carolina. His wife's name is unknown but she was born about 1774. They had at least one boy and two girls as indicated by the 1800 census in Chatam County, North Carolina. According to the 1790 census of Chatam County, North Carolina, Jessie was married. Then, by the 1810 census he was in Warren County, Kentucky, with several of his brothers. Presumably this is the same Jessie Rowland that was one of the early settlers of Missouri but the author has not been able to follow him. A Jessie Roland paid a land tax of one horse and one poll in 1821 in Chatam County, Missouri. Their first three children were born between 1790 and 1800. Whether others were born is unknown.

2. ELIZABETH (ROLAND) BURK

Elizabeth was born in 1775 to Jessie, Sr., and Sarah (Simpson) Roland in North Carolina. She married Isham Burk who was later in Kentucky when he applied for a Revolutionary Pension. He must have been quite a bit older than Elizabeth. Their son was ROBERT ROWLAND BURK, b. 5-6-1789, d. 12-20-1791. John Rowland, her brother attested to the travels of Isham Burk.

3. JOSEPH ROLAND

Joseph was a son of Jessie, Sr., and Sarah (Simpson) Roland, born sometime after 1774. He married Elizabeth Keithly, b. during 1784 in North Carolina. Her father was Jacob Keithly, who had married Barbara Rowland, probably a relative of this Joseph since Jacob Keithly, Joseph Roland, and Casper Roland were first on



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Rowan County, North Carolina, before moving toward Kentucky. Jacob, John, Joseph, Daniel, and Samuel Keithly moved from North Carolina and first settled in Bourbon County, Kentucky. Jacob Keithly, with his wife Barbara (Rowland), moved on to Warren County, Kentucky, where he died. The Jacob Keithly's had 18 children: Absolom, Jacob Jr., John, Samuel, Obadiah, Rowland, William, Levi, Daniel, Abraham, Tabitha, Isaac, Polly, Elizabeth who married Joseph Rowland, Katy, Patsy, and Salley. Abraham Keithly married Tennie Rowland and settled in Missouri in 1806. He may have been with the same Joseph Roland and Elizabeth (Keithly) who went to Missouri for one year and returned to Kentucky where he must have died immediately because his widow Elizabeth (Keithly) married his brother Jasper Roland on 2-6-1806 in Warren County, Kentucky. Joseph and Elizabeth had at least one child, JACOB.

A. JACOB, b. 1802 in Kentucky. m. Annie Hosteller.

3 A. JACOB ROLAND

Jacob was the son of Joseph and Elizabeth (Keithly) Roland, born in 1802 in Kentucky. His father died when he was near four and his mother immediately remarried his uncle Jasper Roland. He was raised with this family as they moved into Missouri. Jacob ended up in Rolls County, Missouri, and was there in 1850 and 1870 censuses. He married Annie Hosteller, a cousin, born in 1806 in Missouri. Her folks were Isaac Hosteller and Mary (Polly) Keithly, daughter of Jacob Keithly, Sr., and sister to Elizabeth that was Jacob Roland's mother. Jacob and Annie Roland's children were ELIZABETH, ISAAC, SAMUEL, ENOS, MARY, WILLIAM, and DAVILLA. No attempt has been made to try and complete these families from here, only one lineage through Samuel is known by the author.

- a. ELIZABETH, b. 1826 in Missouri, m. 6-14-1851 John Wilson, Jr., in Rolls County, Missouri.
- b. ISAAC, b. 1831 in Missouri, m. 6-2-1853 Sevilier B. Enlow in Rolls County.
- c. SAMUEL, b. 1833 in Missouri, m. 8-6-1863 Susan M. Sheelse in Rolls County.
- d. ENOS, b. 1836 in Missouri, m. 9-13-1859 Susan Alexander in Rolls County.
- e. MARY, b. 1839.
- f. WILLIAM, b. 1842, m. 9-5-1861 Lucy Ann Rosser in Rolls County.
- g. DAVILLA, b. 1846.

3 A c. SAMUEL ROLAND

Samuel was the third child of Jacob and Annie (Hosteller) Roland, born in 1833 in Missouri. He married on 8-6-1863 in Rolls County, Missouri, the Miss Susan M. Sheelse and of their children a WILLIAM MARK was one who had a daughter GOLDERA who married Howard. Mrs. Goldera (Roland) Howard is the reference librarian with the State Historical Library at Columbia, Missouri, in the University of Missouri Library building.



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4. JASPER ROLAND (ROWLAND)

Jasper was born in 1777 in North Carolina to Jessie, Sr., and Sarah (Simpson) Roland. He is one of the first that the spelling is found as Rowland. Also, several places Gasper is found and it is assumed that these are one and the same. Jasper was married in Warren County, Kentucky, on February 6, 1806, by John Hendrick to Mrs. Elizabeth (Keithly) Rowland, widow of brother Jacob, born in 1784 in North Carolina. Her security was Jacob Keithly. See Jacob Roland for Elizabeth's family and history. Jasper moved to Rolls County, Missouri, before the 1830 census and after the 1810 census in Warren County, Kentucky. He raised his brother's children along with his own, which were at least fourteen. Little is known who they are but by checking census tabulations he had to raise at least two of Jacobs, a daughter born before 1800 and Joseph and possibly as many as one other boy and girl. Only four of his own children are known by name: AZIRIKON, b. 1808 in Kentucky; MARTHA, b. 1812 in Kentucky; IRAM, b. 1814 in Kentucky; and WILLIAM K., b. 1831 in Missouri, all living at home in 1850. LEVINIA ROLAND that married William Gilbert on 5-25-1833 in Rolls County may be his or Jacob's daughter. His son IRAM m. 9-22-1850 Helen Gilbert in Rolls County. In old age Jasper had a wooden leg and in 1850 Elizabeth was blind. Their home was in the Salt River Community of Saverton Township, Rolls County, Missouri.

5. JOHN Y. ROLAND

John Y. was a son of Jessie, Sr., and Sarah (Simpson) Roland, born in the period of 1774-84 in North Carolina. He married Margaret Crawford, a sister to several that married John's brothers and sisters. John could not write. In 1809, he was the security of Archibald's marriage in Warren County, Kentucky, and was still there in 1810 according to the census. But in 1829 he was paying a debt in Randolph County, Missouri. He was appointed guardian on February 18, 1833, to the heirs of Michael Crawford, the husband of his sister Betsy, in Randolph Co. The heirs were John, J. Boshey, and William Crawford. Land in Section 22 Township 43 Range 10 West of 20 acres is recorded as having been bought by John in 1838 and a Joseph appears to have been on this same place in 1839. Nearby another 40 acres was owned by John in 1839. John's will was probated 9-6-1839 in Randolph County, Missouri, with William Rowland, his executor and Terry Bradley, Thomas Sears and John Owings as witnesses. On 1-24-1848 Margaret's will was probated in Randolph County with John C. Rowland as Administrator. Jonathan and William Rowland were listed as surety or security. The name John C. is not listed in either as an heir so it is not known what relationship he is; but, no doubt, of some. The children named by John Y: married: WILLIAM, SUSAN, and LUVANIA all born before 1794 and WINDROW, born between 1800-1810; then the single children: BETSY, PATSY, SALLEY, NANCY, JAMES W. (who was born in 1832 and lived in the Bradley household in 1850), and DELANEY.

*6. ARCHIBALD L. ROLAND

Archibald L. Roland, son of Jessie, Sr., and Sarah (Simpson) Roland, was born in North Carolina between 1778 and 90, and was married 2-23-1809 in Warren



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County, Kentucky, to Susannah Crawford, b. 1790 in Virginia. Her father, John Crawford, was her security and John Roland was Archie's security. In 1815 and 1819 he gained warrants to two pieces of land, 50 acres and 90 acres, on Barren River in Warren County, Kentucky. They moved from Warren County, later in 1819 as their son BURL was born in Missouri in 1819. Their first years in Missouri were in Washington County. On 12-18-1827 he was indentured for \$120. to Uriah and Margaret Burns for 80 acres in Section 35 Township 39 Range 1 West of Washington County on Indian Creek. In the next 10 or 12 years he acquired several other tracts of land. By 1840 he had moved to Boone Township, Franklin County, Missouri, and homesteaded a 40 acre tract in Section 35 Township 41 Range 4 West near what is now known as Old Argo, Missouri, where a Cumberland Presbyterian Church and cemetery still exist. The Rolands were Baptists. In 1849 he homesteaded another 40 acres adjacent to the first. In March of 1850 Archie and Susannah sold some of their holdings in Washington County. On July 16, 1863, Archibald L. and Susannah deeded off 183 acres of Franklin County land and no further records exist of either of them. They probably had 11 children: JESSIE, SARAH, BURL, MARGARET, CARL, FREDRICK, ARCHIBALD YOUNG, ELIZABETH ANN, JOSEPH, JAMES, EDWARD S., and WILLIAM.

- A. JESSIE, b. 1810-15, m. 10-29-1835 Mary Melinda Isbell in Potasi, Washington County, Missouri.
- B. SARAH, b. 1818 in Kentucky, m 6-29-1837 Wiley Duckworth in Washington County, Missouri.
- *C. BURL, b. 1819 in Missouri, m. Susannah Caroline Isbell.
- D. MARGARET, b. 1815-20, m. 8-1-1833 W. E. Alley in Washington County, Missouri.
- E. CARL FREDRICK, b. 1820-25, m. 10-31-1848 Carolina Louise Husmann in Gasconade County, Missouri.
- F. ARCHIBALD YOUNG, b. 1826 in Missouri, m. 5-20-1847 Cary Ann Mitchel in Franklin County, Missouri.
- G. ELIZABETH ANN, b. 1825-30, m. 2-17-1842 Anthony Mitchel in Franklin County, Missouri.
- H. JOSEPH, b. 1831 in Missouri, m. 1-29-1852 Sarah Ann Ferguson.
- I. JAMES, b. 1831, m. Virginia _____.
- J. EDWARD S., did marry.
- K. WILLIAM, d. 6-3-1852.

6 A. JESSIE ROLAND

Little is known of Jessie Roland, b. 1810-15, son of Archibald L. and Susannah (Crawford) Roland, except his marriage in Potasi, Missouri, on 10-29-1835 to Mary Melinda Isbell, probably a sister to Susannah Caroline Isbell who married Jessie's brother Burl. On 9-12-1842 Jessie and Melinda sold the E 1/2 of E 1/2 of SW 1/4 of Section 11 Township 40 Range 4 West within a mile of Old Argo, Mo.

6 B SARAH (ROLAND) DUCKWORTH

Sarah, daughter of Archibald L., Sr., and Susannah (Crawford) Roland, was born in 1818 in Kentucky, apparently just before the family moved west into Mo. In Washington County, Missouri, on 7-29-1837 she married Wiley S. Duckworth, b.



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1815 in South Carolina. In the 1850 census they lived three houses from her father Archibald L. and four from her brother Archibald, Jr. Wiley was probably the son in the family of Mary Duckworth that lived just south of Potasi, Missouri, where he was married. Mary was born in South Carolina in 1795 and had five children still living with her in 1850: Josiah, b. 1822; Jualpha, b. 1824; Aphee, b. 1834; Francis B., a girl, b. 1835; and Daniel M., b. 1838, all born in South Carolina. Also, Gidion Duckworth, b. 1826, was teaching school and living near Wiley Duckworth, Archibald L. Roland Sr., and Archibald, Jr. Sarah and Wiley Duckworth had seven children: FRANCIS, b. 1838; MARGARET, b. 1840; JOHN, b. 1841; ROBERT P., b. 1843; MARY C., b. 1845; JOSEPH, b. 1847; and SUSAN H., b. 1849.

*6 C. BURL ROLAND

*Burl Roland, son of Archibald L., Sr., and Susannah (Crawford) Rowland, was born in Missouri in 1819, probably in Washington County. He married Susannah Caroline Isbell, b. 1820 in Kentucky, daughter of Jason Isbell, Jr. and Elizabeth (Parker) Isbell. Her marriage license read ISABELLE but she could not write as witnessed by her mark on other documents. In 1850 a Grills Isbell was living in Franklin County, a grocery keeper. Her son was also named Grills and this is the only two of that name I have ever observed. Little is known of Burl until after their children were born, when in 1853 he sold property in Section 2 Township 40 Range 4 West, Crawford County, Missouri. On September 21, 1854, he took out a land patent on 80 acres in Section 11 Township 40 Range 4 West, Boone Township, Franklin County, just five miles south of the earlier holdings. The following December 6 another 80 acres adjacent to the first was patented. On this property the Argo Cumberland Presbyterian Church and cemetery now exist. The Roland family were Baptists. In 1857 they sold this property to William M. Bell for \$600. In 1866 Susanna C. Rowland bought Lots 1 and 2 being on Front Street between Claire and St. Louis in the village of Sullivan, Missouri, then only six years old, for \$150, from Steven and Dorcas Sullivan. They sold Lot 1 to Earnest Self in 1869, financed by John Martin. Caroline Rowland was listed as a charter member of the Baptist Church in Sullivan in 1875. Burl, Sr., was the Trustee of the same in 1887. In 1879 Burl sold some Sullivan property to Joseph Sappington. Laboring was listed as the occupation of Burl in 1880. When or where he and his wife were buried is unknown, but, no doubt, in one of the many small cemeteries within the immediate area of Sullivan under an unmarked stone, very likely the Buffalo Cemetery. Their children were JOSEPH, MARGARETHA, unknown, BURREL PARKER, MARTHA ELIZABETH, JOHN, WILLIAM, JACOB, SUSAN J., GRILLS ELLIOT, and MANERVA CAROLINE.

- a. JOSEPH, b. 1836 in Missouri.
- b. MARGARETHA, m. 10-25-1860 John Mueller.
- d. BURREL PARKER, b. 1844, m. 1863 Sarah Riddle.
- e. JOHN, m. 12-1-1864 Ann Cook.
- f. MARTHA ELIZABETH, b. 1848, m. Jessie B. Phillips, d. 2-11-1891.
- g. WILLIAM, m. 7-28-1867 Louise Smith.
- h. JACOB, m. 12-21-1868 Elizabeth Haywood.
- i. SUSAN J., m. 1-4-1868 Hewah Harrison.
- *j. GRILLS ELLIOT, b. 1851, m. 1880 Lura Celeste Whitmire, d. 1898.
- k. MANERVA CAROLINE, b. 1860, m. Ben Hutton.



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A granddaughter ELLEN ROWLAND, b 1861, was living in 1880 with Burl, Susannah, and Grills.

6 C a. JOSEPH ROWLAND

Joseph was born in 1836 to Burl and Susanna Caroline (Isbell) Rowland in Missouri. In 1870 he was a brick mason living with Burl and Susanna with two of his daughters ELLEN and MISSOURI. Apparently his wife died leaving him with two small girls to raise and his father and mother cared for them. He and Missouri left before 1880 and nothing more is known of them. Ellen was still with her grandmother and grandfather in 1880 but nothing more is known about her.

- (1) ELLEN, b. 1861.
- (2) MISSOURI, b. 1862.

6 C d. BURREL PARKER (BUD) ROWLAND

Burrel Parker (Bud) Rowland, b. 9-18-1844 in St. Francois County, Missouri, was the fourth of eleven children of Burl and Susanna Caroline. He was reared on a farm and never had attended school more than three weeks, but by persistent efforts and studious habits acquired a good business education. He appears to be the one where the spelling became Rowland. In 1863 he was married to Sarah Riddle, daughter of Emmanuel Riddle, and then began doing for himself. He rented a farm of about 75 acres from his father. During the Civil War at age 16 he first served as a drummer boy for General Robert E. Lee for six months, then entered the Union Army, and a short time later was captured and taken south as a prisoner until the end of the war. Later he followed several pursuits: farming; working in public works; section hand on the railroad into Sullivan, being promoted to foreman of coal chute; etc. He was later engaged as a clerk in the Mercantile business of Clark & Co. in Sullivan. On July 15, 1885, he was appointed postmaster of Sullivan at \$414 per year salary.

In this connection he established a small business of confectionary and fancy groceries valued at about \$300. He was initiated into the Sullivan Masonic Lodge, No. 69 in 1875, holding the position of Grand Master for ten terms. Also, he was a member of AOU of Sullivan of which he was an officer. It was through his personal efforts and eleven other members that the Masonic Lodge continued to exist after a disastrous economic loss. A staunch Democrat, his first Presidential vote was given to Horace Greeley. In 1870 he was located in Boone Township, Crawford County, as a farmer. He sold land in Section 8 Township 40 Range 3 West (120 acres) two miles south of Japan, Missouri, on March 25, 1873, buying Lot F in the town of Sullivan. In 1875 he was a Deacon in the newly organized Baptist church in the village. In 1880 he lived next door to his father, mother, and brother Grills. He became a Trustee in the town from 1883 to 1893. At the turn of the century he became a barber and later went into the monument business that he maintained until he moved to St. Louis and retired. His health being poor in 1905, Burrel spent some time in Arkansas. He donated part of the land for the IOOF cemetery adjacent to the old Buffalo Cemetery in Sullivan where he is buried after dying in the Masonic Home in St. Louis, on August 14, 1929. He survived Sarah



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who died before 1880. She had been a member of Eastern Star. They had twelve children: MALINDA, JAMES W., JAIN BELL, PETER WILEY, WALTER ALVA, MINNIE LEE, CYNTHIA P., LILBURN C., CHARLES C. PARKER, ALBERTA, ORA A., and LOREN B.

- (1) MALINDA (LINDY), b. 1865, 9-18-1833 m. John Schaburg.
- (2) JAMES WILLIAM, b. 1866.
- (3) JAIN BELL, b. 1868 and d. before 1880.
- (4) PETER WILEY (PETE), b. Dec., 1870, m. 11-30-1897 Josie Hoff.
- (5) WALTER ALVA, b. 1873, d. 1937, and br. in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Missouri.
- (6) MINNIE LEE, b. 1875, d. 1951, m. 5-3-1892 Henry George Bruns.
- (7) CYNTHIA P., b. 1875, d. 1880 at five years, br. in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Missouri.
- (8) LILBURN C., b. 1879.
- (9) CHARLES C. PARKER, m. 7-27-1905 Anna Giles.
- (10) ALBERTA (BERTIE), m. Gene Johann.
- (11) ORA A., d. young.
- (12) LOREN B., d. young.

6 C d (1) MALINDA (LINDY) (ROWLAND) SCHABURG

Malinda Rowland, b. 1865 in Missouri of Burrel Parker and Sarah Rowland, married John Schaburg, a telegraph operator. By 1902 they were located in Frisco, Arkansas. They attended a Rowland family reunion in Sullivan August 29, 1902, from Porter, Arkansas. At one time they lived in Schaburg, Arkansas, named after him. Their two children were JEWEL and BUREL SCHABURG.

6 C d (2) JAMES WILLIAM ROWLAND

William Rowland, as he was known, was born 1866 in Missouri of Burrel Parker and Sarah (Riddle) Rowland and was married and had moved to Texas as a telegraph operator. In 1901 he returned on a visit to Sullivan to visit his father and no more is known about him.

6 C d (4) PETER WILEY (PETE) ROWLAND

Peter Wiley (Pete) Rowland was born in December, 1870, probably in Crawford County near Bourbon, of Burrel Parker and Sarah (Riddle) Rowland, and married Josie Hoff on 1-30-1897 in Sullivan. B. S. Hutton performed the service. However, on January, 1902, Pete was batching with his brother Charles in Sullivan, Missouri. But in June, 1906, he was living with his wife in Flat River, Missouri, where his father Burrel Parker visited him.



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6 C d (6) MINNIE LEE (ROWLAND) BRUNS

Minnie Lee Rowland was born in 1875 in Sullivan, Missouri, of Burrel Parker and Sarah (Riddle) Rowland. Her father gave his consent for her to marry Henry George Bruns on 5-3-1892 in Dittmare, Missouri, where he was born. In 1901 their home was Dexter, Missouri. But in 1902 they attended the family reunion in Sullivan from Paris, Texas. Henry was buried in Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan. Their children were WALTER, ELMA, LEE, ALVA, and MABEL.

- (A) WALTER BRUNS, m. Estelle Raush.
- (B) ELMA BRUNS, m. Walter M. Kock.
- (C) LEE BRUNS, m. Jean Weitz.
- (D) ALVA BRUNS, m. Lois Roberts.
- (E) MABEL BRUNS, m. John Kelly, no children.

6 C d (6)(A) WALTER BRUNS

Walter, the son of Henry George and Minnie Lee (Rowland) Bruns, and Estelle (Raush) Bruns had the following children: ROBERT, RAYMOND, RUTH, and JACK.

6 C d (6)(B) ELMA (BRUNS) KOCK

Elma was the daughter of Henry George and Minnie Lee (Rowland) Bruns. She married Walter M. Kock and they had three children: ROWLAND, VIRGINIA, and ROBERT.

- (b) VIRGINIA KOCK, m. Dr. M. Lyle Carlton, dentist. Dr. Carlton served in the Navy for 23 years. Retiring from service life, they made their home in Kirkwood, Missouri. Virginia was very helpful in supplying information about some of the Rowlands in 1976. Their children are TIMOTHY and NANCY CARLTON.

6 C d (6)(C) LEE BRUNS

Lee, son of Henry George and Minnie Lee (Rowland) Bruns, married Jean Weitz and they had three children: BILLY, CARL, and DONALD.

6 C d (6)(D) ALVA BRUNS

Alva Bruns was the last son of Henry George and Minnie Lee (Rowland) Bruns. His wife was Lois Roberts who gave him one daughter: SHIRLEY.



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6 C d (8) LILBURN C. ROWLAND

Lilburn C. was the son of Burrel Parker and Sarah (Riddle) Rowland, born in 1879 in Sullivan, Missouri. He married and raised a family living in Dexter, Missouri, in 1901 and Flat River, Missouri, in 1906. The extent and history of his family is unknown.

6 C d (9) CHARLES C. PARKER ROWLAND

Charles C. Parker was born of Burrel Parker and Sarah (Riddle) Rowland date unknown, possibly in 1880. On July 27, 1905, he married Miss Ann Giles in Steelville, Missouri. In 1976 Charles was living in Seal Beach, California. Their three children were TED, PARKER, and ERNISTINE.

(C) ERNISTINE, m. Mr. Niblock.

6 C d (10) ALBERTA (BERTIE) (ROWLAND) JOHANN

Alberta (Bertie) was born of Burrel Parker and Sarah (Riddle) Rowland, probably about 1881. She was quite an accomplished musician, singing and playing the organ on numerous civic and social occasions in Sullivan from 1901 to 1906. She married Gene Johann.

6 C f. MARTHA ELIZABETH (ROWLAND) PHILLIPS

Martha Elizabeth was born in 1845 of Burl and Susanna Caroline (Isbell) Rowland. She married Jessie B. Phillips, b. 9-25-1840, d. 7-14-1917. She lived until 40 years old, dying 2-11-1891. Both are buried in the Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Missouri, along with his second wife Florence (Stoval) Phillips, b. 4-19-1852, d. 5-20-1935. Jessie and Martha Elizabeth's children were SUSAN, SELBY R., and ARTHUR.

- (1) SUSAN, b. 1870, Missouri.
- (2) SELBY R., b. 9-27-1871, d 6-22-1935, br Buffalo Cemetery.
- (3) ARTHUR, b. 1873 in Missouri.

*6 C j. GRILLS ELLIOT ROWLAND

*Grills Elliot was a child of Burl and Susannah Caroline (Isbell) Rowland, being born in 1851, most likely in Crawford County, Missouri. Probably he was raised in Boone Township, Franklin County, Missouri, on the 160 acres his father homesteaded on which Old Argo, Missouri, now stands, until the family moved to Sullivan in 1866. They must have been on the homestead during the Civil War while his brother Burrel Parker served on both sides. Grills was brought up a Baptist. He was still living at home in Sullivan in 1880 at 29 years of age. Their home



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was next door to Burrel Parker and Sarah Rowland and probably across the street from the home of Mrs. Louisa M. (Johnson)(Whitmire) Bell and family. Lura Celeste Whitmire was the daughter of Louisa M. by her marriage to John Whitmire. Louisa M. raised five families: first, a son Peter G. Calvert by her first husband Peter C. Calvert; second, John and Martha Jane (Peters) Whitmire's two children; third, John Whitmire's and her own six children by him; fourth, James A. Bell's two children by another marriage to Miss Calvert; and fifth, her own son by James A. Bell. Lura Celeste Whitmire became the wife of Grills Elliot Rowland sometime in 1880. Their first year was spent in North Dakota trying to homestead a new but vicious frontier. As a result of starvation and freezing out in a sod hut, they returned to the Sullivan area. Their first child LOUISA was born in North Dakota. Grills farmed two miles down the railroad track from Sullivan. He was known as a good hard-working farmer on pretty good ground, raising wheat, corn, and oats on 80 acres. In 1897 he sold the lots at a sheriff's sale that his mother Susannah Caroline had bought and they had lived on. Because of consumption, later known as TB, Grills Elliot died at an early age in 1898 and was buried in the Buffalo Cemetery. His widow Lura Celeste rented the farm, bought property in town and lived there until 1904 when several of the children were of college age. She then moved to Warrensburg, Missouri, so that some of the family could attend the State Normal School. Mrs. Phoebe Apperson Hearst, the mother of William Randolph Hearst and cousin of Lura Celeste, bought the homes in Sullivan and Warrensburg and put all the children through college as far as each attended. Mrs. Hearst continued to support Mrs. Rowland the rest of her life. The farm was sold in 1911. Sometime before or during World War I, Lura left Warrensburg and moved about living with different members of the family. She died in Glendale, California, while living with her daughter PHOEBE VANDEWATER, on February 5, 1931. Her body was returned to Sullivan and is buried in the Buffalo Cemetery in the family plot. Lura was an early member of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church and raised her family as Presbyterians. Grills' and Lura's children were LOUISA, Baby, WALTER RANDOLPH, PHOEBE R., CLARA CELESTE, CYNTHIA ETTA, DRUCILLA RUTH, JOHN BURL, and MARY.

- (1) LOUISA (LOU), b. 1881, d. 1958, m. Lester R. Surber.
- (2) Baby, b. 1882, d. at birth, br. in the Buffalo Cemetery family plot.
- (3) WALTER RANDOLPH (RAN), b. 10-3-1883, d. 9-1-1966, never married.
- (4) PHOEBE R., b. 1887, d. ca 1962, m. 1907 Harry C. Vandewater.
- (5) CLARA CELESTE, b. 1889, d. ca 1963, m. Lewis Ford, b. ca 1879, d. ca 1960.
- (6) CYNTHIA ETTA, b. 1891, d. ca 1951, m. William Schlickten.
- * (7) DRUCILLA RUTH, b. 3-24-1893, d. 1-11-1939, m. 8-1916 Robert Percy Owens.
- (8) JOHN BURL, b. 3-34-1895, m. (1) 9-1-1924 Louise Hickman (2) 1959 Francis (Brown) Muldrew.
- (9) MARY, b. ca 1897, d. ca 1897, br. in Buffalo Cemetery family plot.

6 C j (1) LOUISA (LOU) (ROWLAND) SURBER

Louisa, known as Lou, was born in North Dakota in about 1881 to Grills Elliot and Lura Celeste (Whitmire) Rowland. The next year the family returned to Sullivan,



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Missouri, where she was raised on a farm until her very last years at home which were spent in the town of Sullivan. She attended the University of Missouri at Columbia. In 1902 she became a charter member of the Rebecca Lodge in Sullivan. She married Lester R. Surber ca 1904, son of Rev. E. A. Surber of Sullivan. Lester was then working for the railroad in the Depot. In 1906 they left Lura's house they had been renting and moved to Rolla, Missouri, where Lester was employed with the railroad station. By 1907 they had moved to Valley Park, Missouri. In 1921 Louisa and Lester were divorced. She never remarried but finished raising her children. Her brother Walter Randolph Rowland sometime later moved into her home in Tulsa, Oklahoma, and lived there until her death about 1958. Louisa and Lester had two boys, ROWLAND and JOHN ALBERT.

(A) ROWLAND SURBER, b. 10-16-1905, d. ca 1947.

(B) JOHN ALBERT (BUD) SURBER, d. 1974, m. Catherine.

6 C j (3) WALTER RANDOLPH (RAN) ROWLAND

Walter Randolph was the third child of Grills Elliot and Lura Celeste (Whitmire) Rowland, born October 13, 1883, near Sullivan, Missouri. He was known as quite a baseball player in his early years. On one newspaper account he was reported to have ridden his bicycle with a friend to Union, Missouri, and part way back, finishing the trip from St. Claire by train. He was only 15 years old when his father died leaving a family of eight to support. He was not able to run the farm so the family moved to town. His mother's cousin, Phoebe (Apperson) Hearst, paid his way to military academy in Columbia, Missouri. But not being prone to like the regimented way of such an institution he shortly left there. In Warrensburg, Missouri, he learned the trade of a shoe cobbler which he followed all his life. Because of his need to help support the family he never married his sweetheart and remained a bachelor all his life. Sometime near or after World War I when Lura Celeste, his mother, closed up her home, he went to live with his older sister Lou in Tulsa. Upon her death and his retirement he lived with his sister Clara and her husband in Shawnee, Oklahoma. After her death he finished his years out with his brother John and his second wife Francis in Drumright, Oklahoma. He died September 1, 1966, and was buried in Norman, Oklahoma.

6 C j (4) PHOEBE R. (ROWLAND) VANDEWATER

Phoebe R. was born in 1887 near Sullivan, Missouri, of Grills and Lura Celeste (Whitmire) Rowland. Her first college was known to be the University of Missouri at Columbia, Missouri, in 1902. She was one of the first school teachers in the new school building in Sullivan in 1905 when it had 253 students. For several summers from 1903 to 1907 Phoebe attended school in Warrensburg, Missouri, where the family had moved, and gained an AB degree in 1905. She was a member of Sigma Delta Chi sorority. One of Phoebe's talents was in art. One year she won numerous awards at the Bachelor Girls and Boys party in Sullivan but particularly for her art work. In 1907 Phoebe played the part of Dollie, a niece in love with a doctor played by H. C. Vandewater, then located as a civil engineer in Sullivan. They met and he became her escort to and from practice, Later in the Warrensburg Daily Star,



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the following marriage was reported, Phoebe and Harry C. Vandewater were quietly married in the home of bride's parent Mrs. L. C. Rowland by M. E. Church pastor on September 27, 1907. At the time he was engineering for a railroad company in Louisiana. For a while they lived in Tulsa, Oklahoma, and later Mr. Vandewater became the city engineer for Glendale, California, where they remained the rest of their lives. Harry predeceased Phoebe who died about 1962. Both are buried in Glendale, California. Their two children were PHOEBE LOUISE and JOHN RANDOLPH (BUD). Phoebe Louise became quite a cartoon artist in her life. Both children married several times and had children.

6 C j (5) CLARA CELESTE (ROWLAND) FORD

Clara Celeste was born near Sullivan in 1889 of Grills and Lura Celeste (Whitmire) Rowland. As were all the Rowland girls, she was quite an artist. Her education consisted of graduating with a BA from State Normal School in Warrensburg, Missouri, in 1910, being a member of Sigma Delta Chi. Apparently she began her teaching career in Shawnee, Oklahoma, where she met and married Lewis Ford, born about 1879 in Shawnee. Clara was always the center communication link between the families. Lewis, who was known as Lou, was a member of the Fords of Shawnee, a milling family. Lou and Clara owned and ran the local feed and seed store until his retirement. Clara was always the one to see after the family. Upon the death of her sister Drucilla Owens in 1939, she kept Drucilla's daughter Lura Celeste Owens the first year. Later her daughter-in-law died and she raised her son's two children, her brother Ran lived with her and Lou until they both passed on, Lou in 1960 and Clara in 1963. Both are buried in Shawnee. Their two sons were MILTON ROWLAND and JACK R.

- (A) MILTON ROWLAND FORD was married twice, having a boy and girl by his first wife. His mother raised these two. In 1976 he lived in the Houston, Texas, area.
- (B) JACK R. FORD was married and had two daughters and living in Tulsa, Oklahoma, in 1976.

6 C j (6) CYNTHIA ETTA (ROWLAND) SCHLICKTEN

Cynthia Etta was born near Sullivan, Missouri, in 1891 of Grills Elliot and Lura Celeste (Whitmire) Rowland. She attended the State Normal School from 1907 to 1912 graduating with a BA degree in 1911, and was also a member of Sigma Delta Chi. She was quite an accomplished singer and had the opportunity of studying grand opera in New York by Phoebe (Apperson) Hearst except for her health. She spent 1919 in Agnes Memorial in Denver, Colorado, because of tuberculosis. Later she married William Schlickten. They made their home in the Bay area of California all of the rest of their lives. He was a bank teller and she owned and operated a kindergarten. They never had any children. Cynthia passed away about 1951 and was buried in Oakland, California.



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*6 C j (7) DRUCILLA RUTH (ROWLAND) OWENS

*Drucilla Ruth was born near Sullivan, Missouri, on 3-24-1893, of Grills Elliot and Lura Celeste (Whitmire) Rowland. Gaining most of her schooling in Warrensburg, she attended the State Normal School from 1912 to 1914. As all of her sisters attending the Normal, she was a member of Sigma Delta Chi. Her major was in art. One of her school chums, Miss Brown, and she went to Gardner, Colorado, to teach school. This was the first year that two teachers were ever employed there. The opportunity came about when Miss Brown was hired by a relative and Drucilla applied with her. There she met and married Robert Percy Owens in August, 1916. He had homesteaded next to his father Robert Henry Owens near Gardner, Colorado, on Williams Creek. The history of this family appears in Huerfano Valley As I Remember It written by Robert Percy Owens and also in a genealogical history of the Owens Family being compiled by Robert Percy at the same time this story is being written by his son Robert James Owens. Mr. Owens served in World War I in Germany and upon his return from the war sold the homestead with his father and both bought farms near the mouth of the Huerfano River into the Arkansas River at Boone, Colorado. The flood of 1921 destroyed all of his farm, then he broke his back putting up hay that summer which caused the family to move to Pueblo, Colorado. There he worked as a salesman for several years, starting his own grocery store which was lost in the Great Depression of the 1930's. During that hard period Drucilla returned to school at the Colorado State Normal School renewing her license to teach and then taught three years near Gardner, Colorado, again. In 1934 the family was together again at the family home in Pueblo, Colorado. On January 11, 1939, Drucilla died and was buried in Pueblo. Robert P. Owens, then working for the State Highway Department, moved about the state and on 3-29-1941 married Mrs. Effie (Eva) Belle (Mattucks) Dennis, b. 11-10-1893 near St. Joseph, Missouri. He returned to farming in Arvada, Colorado, and retired in Canon City, Colorado. The family was raised in the Methodist Church and after moving to Canon City, the Owens' became members of the Presbyterian Church. Robert and Drucilla's children were ROBERT JAMES, JOHN RANDOLPH, and LURA CELESTE.

- (A) ROBERT JAMES OWENS, b. 6-22-1920, m. 12-13-1942
Billie Louise Lewis.
- (B) JOHN RANDOLPH OWENS, b. 2-4-1923, m. 9-11-1949
Patricia Hollingworth.
- (C) LURA CELESTE OWENS, b 3-20-1927, m (1) Ralph Hayward,
and (2) Roger Mallory.

6 C j (7)(A) ROBERT JAMES OWENS

Robert James was born June 22, 1920, near Boone, Colorado, of Robert Percy and Drucilla Ruth (Rowland) Owens. He was raised in Pueblo and near Gardner, Colorado, and Santa Fe, New Mexico. Attending high school at Centennial High School in Pueblo where his father and grandmother had also attended, he went to Colorado State College of Education to become a teacher as most of his aunts and his mother had become. The war interrupted his education which was completed with a BA from Colorado State College in Greeley, Colorado, in 1946. Later he obtained a MA degree from the same school. During World War II he met and married Billie Louise Lewis (b. 11-3-1922 in Rush Springs, Oklahoma, daughter of Oliver Newton and Lena Fletcher (Sims) Lewis) in Albuquerque, New Mexico, on December 13, 1942. Returning from the war he completed his degree and taught school in Manitou Springs,



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Colorado, and Buckley, Washington, for two years. Then Robert James did several odd jobs until he became a manager in a clothing store. He was recalled to active duty during the Korean conflict, remaining in the service until he retired in 1968 as Colonel in the United States Air Force. During this career the family saw and lived in many parts of the United States and Hawaii. He served in Europe during World War II and the Far East during the Vietnam engagement and was awarded the Bronze Star and two Commendation Medals. After retiring from the service he returned to teaching for six years in Greeley and Glenwood Springs, Colorado. In 1974 Robert James and Billie sold out an apartment complex near Glenwood Springs and retired in Canon City, Colorado. The family are members of the Church of Christ, all serving in numerous capacities. Robert has been a Deacon and Elder in several congregations. Their three children are CHERYL ANN, GERRY ROBERT, and DIANE CELESTE.

- (a) CHERYL ANN OWENS, b. 3-12-1947 in Colorado Springs, Colorado. Obtained a BA from David Lipscomb College, Nashville, Tennessee. She taught business education at the Mt. Dora Christian Home and Bible School in Florida, then returned to Colorado, working as a secretary and business teacher in Colorado Springs, Colorado.
- (b) GERRY ROBERT OWENS, b. 3-25-1949 in Colorado Springs, Colorado, m. 7-27-1974 Mrs. Anna Delberta (Holm) Emmons. He attended Texas Tech University, Lubbock, Texas, for two years transferring to the University of Northern Colorado at Greeley, Colorado. His wife Anna had four boys by her first marriage that he adopted: JAMES EDWARD OWENS, b. 9-29-1965; KEVIN LEE OWENS, b. 8-17-1967; KURT ALAN OWENS, b. 3-3-1969; and STEVAN WAYNE OWENS, b. 8-26-1970. They have made their home in Greeley, Colorado.
- (c) DIANE CELESTE OWENS, b. 3-25-1954 in Colorado Springs, Colorado, attended David Lipscomb College in Nashville, Tennessee, then transferred to Aims Junior College in Greeley, Colorado. She has been a secretary since then in Colorado Springs and Greeley, Colorado.

6 C j (7)(B) JOHN RANDOLPH OWENS

John Randolph was born February 4, 1923, in Pueblo, Colorado, of Robert Percy and Drucilla Ruth (Rowland) Owens. Upon completion of high school in Pueblo he attended Colorado State College of Education until World War II. After which he transferred to the University of Colorado and completed a degree in business and engineering. He served as a gunner on B-25's in the India-Chinese theater. He met his wife Patricia Marie Hollingworth (daughter of Leroy Milton Hollingworth, born 1-2-1893, d. 9-15-1950, and Zona Marie (Amick) Hollingworth, b. 1-17-1898) in Boulder, Colorado, and they were married 9-11-1949. Patricia (Hollingworth) Owens was b. 8-3-1928 in Tenis, Washington. He worked his way into top management with Standard Oil Company, serving in Colorado and Utah. Later he went into partnership with two college chums, starting a truck stop station that later became a



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chain of truck service stops which he has continued to the present time in the Denver, Colorado, area. They have been members of the Methodist Church. Their three sons are STEPHEN RAND, DANIEL JOHN, and ROBERT TRACY.

- (a) STEPHEN RAND OWENS, b 11-23-1952 in Canon City, Colorado, m 12-30-1972 Susan Heather Brown and divorced in 1975 with no issue.
- (b) DANIEL JOHN OWENS, b. 6-9-1955 in Colorado Springs, Colorado, m. 3-20-1976 Valarie Ann Treadway, b. 10-14-1957, now living in Canada.
- (c) ROBERT TRACY OWENS, b. 5-13-1958 in Denver, Colorado.

6 C j (7)(C) LURA CELESTE (OWENS) MALLORY

Lura Celeste was born March 20, 1927, in Pueblo, Colorado, of Robert Percy and Drucilla Ruth (Rowland) Owens. She became a registered nurse in Denver from St. Luke's Hospital, then moved to Glendale, California. There she met and married on 5-28-1955 Ralph Clifford Hayward, b. 11-23-1926 in Chicago, Illinois, and had one son MICHAEL EDWARD RANDOLPH HAYWARD, b. 9-6-1957 at Lancaster, California. After divorcing Ralph in 1966 she moved back to Denver to work as a secretary. On 10-25-1975 she married Roger Gale Mallory who had two very small boys (Kevin Keith Mallory, b. 10-15-1971 and Nathaniel Wells Mallory, b. 3-5-1973) which she has been raising.

6 C j (8) JOHN BURL ROWLAND

John Burl was the youngest son of Grills Elliott and Lura Celeste (Whitmire) Rowland, born March 23, 1895, near Sullivan, Missouri. John gained a degree in engineering from Cornell University. He served as a sargeant in the Marine Corps during World War I. Upon discharge John went to work as an engineer in the oil fields with St. Clair Oil Company in Tulsa, Oklahoma. His work took him to many places including Great Bend, Kansas; Siminole, Oklahoma; Tampa, Texas; and Drumright, Oklahoma where he retired in 1952. His first wife Louise Hickman was a Warrensburg, Missouri, girl, born May 8, 1898. They were married September 1, 1924. She died December 23, 1955, in Drumright, Oklahoma, leaving him with their only daughter, MARY LOU. Louise is buried in Norman, Oklahoma. John later married the widow Francis (Brown) Muldrew in 1959 and they are still living in Drumright.

- (A) MARY LOU, b. 8-31-1927, m. W. H. Hardwick.

6 C j (8)(A) MARY LOU (ROWLAND) HARDWICK

Mary Lou was born March 31, 1927, of John Burl and Louise (Hickman) Rowland. She is an elementary school principal in Norman, Oklahoma, and married to a contractor W. H. Hardwick whom she married in 1948. Their two sons are MIKE ROWLAND and CHRISTOPHER CARL.

- (a) MIKE ROWLAND HARDWICK, b. 1952.
- (b) CHRISTOPHER CARL HARDWICK, b. 1955.



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As can be noted, there are no surnamed Rowlands left in the generation following Grills Elliot Rowland's family. Randolph never married and John Burl had only one girl. Thus this is the end of the Rowland name in my grandfather's family. However, there are numerous descendents of great-grandfather Burl and great-great-grandfather Archibald L. and great-great-great-grandfather Jessie that still carry the Rowland name. Some of them are known and included in this story and some yet to be identified and located.

6 C k. MANERVA CAROLINE (ROWLAND) HUTTON

Manerva Caroline was born of Burl and Susannah Caroline (Isbell) Rowland possibly about 1847. Marrying Ben Hutton, they had three children: HAZEL, SUSAN ETHEL, and MAY.

- (2) SUSAN ETHEL HUTTON, b. 1890, d. 1966, br. in Buffalo Cemetery, m. Robert B. Baugher, b. 1886, d. 1935, also br. in Buffalo Cemetery. Their daughter MARIE BAUGHER married Mr. Armistead and they were living in St. Louis, Missouri, in 1975. Marie (Baugher) Armistead helped with some of the Rowland genealogy.

6 F. ARCHIBALD YOUNG ROWLAND

Archibald Young was born of Archibald L. and Susannah (Crawford) Rowland in 1826, probably in Washington County, Missouri. He most likely is the sixth child of this family. His wife was Cary Ann Mitchel, married to him by J. B. Leech in Franklin County, Missouri, on May 20, 1847. She was born in 1826 in Cromwell, Tennessee, and was probably the sister of Anthony Mitchel that married Archie Young's sister Elizabeth Ann and also a sister of Thomas Mitchel who was named administrator to Archie Young's will dated August 29, 1853. In 1850 the census listed Archibald Young's occupation as a farmer worth \$500. Their children were BUREL T., SUSAN, and SARAH C. In 1850 a Mary Aucker lived with Archibald's family but her relationship is unknown.

- a. BUREL T., b. 1848 in Missouri. Nothing more is known of this Rowland.
- b. SUSAN, b. 1851 in Missouri, m. George W. Woodruff. Of this marriage there was a son named John T. Woodruff, attorney at law.
- c. SARAH C., b. 1849, m. 10-4-1868 George W. Warner. She was a member of Eastern Star.

6 F b. SUSAN (ROWLAND) WOODRUFF, JR.

Susan was born in 1851 to Archibald Young and Cary Ann (Mitchel) Rowland in Missouri. She married George W. Woodruff in the home of Lucinda Mitchel, her grandmother, in Franklin County, Missouri, on 3-21-1867. George W. was the son of George B. Woodruff, b. 1790 in Virginia, and Jane Inman, b. 1-1-1817 in Alabama,



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d. 6-17-1898, br. in Rommelman Cemetery, Crawford County, Missouri. His brothers and sisters were Thomas, b. 1840; William, b. 1840; Susan, b. 1846; Margaret, b. 1847; John, b. 1850; and I. O., b. 1860. George W. was born 1849. George W. settled with Susan Rowland in Boone Township, Crawford County. In 1880 Lucinda Mitchel, b. 1815, was living with the Woodruffs. Their children were JOHN L., WILLIAM H., LESTER, and an adopted daughter NANCY E.

- (1) JOHN L. WOODRUFF, b 6-6-1868 in Missouri was an attorney.
- (2) WILLIAM H. WOODRUFF, b. December, 1869.
- (3) LESTER WOODRUFF, b. 1875.

6 H. JOSEPH ROWLAND

Joseph was a twin of James, both born in 1831 to Archibald L. and Susannah (Crawford) Rowland, probably in Washington County, Missouri. He was married by Rev. Peter Williams, a Baptist minister to Sarah Ann Ferguson on January 29, 1852. She was born January 14, 1834. This probably is the Joseph that was a pastor for the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Franklin County. In 1872 Joseph bought 80 acres from the railroad, selling it in 1878 to J. F. Hartmaster in Section 2 Township 40 Range 4 West. He owned other property in Section 22 Township 43 Range 10 West. In the 1880 census he was located in Boone Township of Franklin County. Many of Joseph's descendants still live in and near Bourbon, Missouri. He, at one time, was a blacksmith in Tea, Missouri. Sarah Ann died August 11, 1925, and is buried in Rommelman Cemetery as were Joseph and several children. Their children were JOSEPH HENRY, ANDREW THOMAS, JAMES ARCHIBALD, SARAH CAROLINE, LAURA A., JOHN W., ETTA V., MARTHA A., MARY ELIZABETH, and SUSAN JANE.

- a. JOSEPH HENRY, b. 2-12-1855, m. 11-6-1893 Mary E. Hartmann.
- b. ANDREW THOMAS, b. 11-24-1857, d. 6-3-1933, m. 11-28-1878 Nancy Ellen Green.
- c. JAMES ARCHIBALD, b. 1861, d. 1920, m. 8-23-1886 Elizabeth W. Brown.
- d. SARAH CAROLINE, b. 11-1-1863, d. 4-3-1939, br. Bacon Cemetery, m. 12-24-1890 David C. Tayloe.
- e. LAURA A., b. 1866, m 4-22-1891 Dr. William J. Mason of Bakersfield Township, Ozark County, Missouri, in Steelville, Missouri.
- f. JOHN W., b. 10-12-1868, d. 6-14-1880, br. Rommelman Cemetery.
- g. ETTA V. (ELLIE), b 5-1-1871, d. 11-15-1884, br. Rommelman Cemetery. She died in Hartmaster's store of Typhomalaria fever attended by Dr. Ashley.
- h. MARTHA A., b 3-8-1873, d. 8-11-1875, br. in Rommelman Cemetery.
- i. MARY ELIZABETH, b 3-26-1875, d. 9-26-1928, br. Bacon Cemetery.
- j. SUSAN JANE, m. Hugh Harrison and lived in Colorado.

6 H a. JOSEPH HENRY ROWLAND

Joseph Henry was the oldest child of Joseph and Sarah Ann (Ferguson) Rowland born in Hamilton County, Texas. The family then shortly returned to Missouri where they remained. Joseph Henry was educated in Franklin County, Missouri, and



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then farmed until 1888, when he became a blacksmith. In 1889 he owned a flour mill in Gasconade County until he left for St. Louis in 1893. As a contractor, he married Mary E. Hartmann and continued his business in St. Louis, living in De Sota, Missouri. He was a Democrat, member of the Royal Arcanum and was a Universalist by faith. They had six children: HAZEL, JOSEPH EDGAR, JESSIE MABEL, GEORGE, ALICE, and WILLIAM. Nothing further is known about these children.

6 H b. ANDREW THOMAS ROWLAND

On November 24, 1857, Andrew Thomas was born to Joseph and Sarah Ann (Ferguson) Rowland in Missouri. On November 28, 1878, he married Nancy Ellen Green, born May 31, 1860, of Boston Mountain Area of Arkansas. They both lived long lives in Missouri and many descendants of theirs still live in the Sullivan and Bourbon areas. He was a tobacco farmer, curing his own leaves in the drying barn where he kept long cane fishing poles which his boys cut up and used for pipes to smoke his tobacco. Also as a bee keeper, he was known to never use a cover or smoke to work with them. He died January 3, 1933, and Nancy died on March 23, 1943. Both are buried in Crow Cemetery, northwest of Sullivan just a few miles. Their children are MARY ELIZABETH, JOHN THOMAS, LAURA E., SAM JOSEPH, JESSE BENJAMIN, WILL DAVID, and EFFIE MARIE.

- (1) MARY ELIZABETH, m. Charles David Hamilton.
- (2) JOHN THOMAS, b 11-22-1881, d 3-7-1957, Dexter, Missouri, m. 9-9-1915 Mertle E. Rector.
- (3) LAURA E., b. 1885, d. 1930, br. in Crow Cemetery, m. Norman Robertson.
- (4) SAM JOSEPH, b. 1886, d. 7-4-1970, br. in Collinsville, Illinois, m. 9-25-1912 Mamie Jane Ferris of Jake Prairie, Missouri.
- (5) JESSE BENJAMIN, b. 1890, d. 1950, m. Helen Pilz.
- (6) WILL DAVID, b. 1894 in Old Argo, Crawford County, Mo., m 9-14-1927 Jesse Isabell Russell.
- (7) EFFIE MARIE, never married, living in Cuba, Missouri in 1976.

6 H b (1) MARY (ROWLAND) HAMILTON

Mary was the first child of Andrew Thomas and Nancy Ellen (Green) Rowland, born near Argo, Missouri. She married Charles David Hamilton and had five children: RAYMOND ANDREW, CARL ROWLAND, RUTH, CHARLES EDWARD, and ELIZABETH.

- (A) RAYMOND ANDREW HAMILTON, b. 6-11-1903, m. (1) 3-7-1923 Edith Irene Massey, (2) 10-28-1960 Jewell.
- (B) CARL ROWLAND HAMILTON, b. 7-23-1905, m. Harriet Antioney Dimock.
- (C) RUTH HAMILTON, b. in Cuba, Missouri, area, m. Dec., 1924, James Starr.
- (D) CHARLES EDWARD HAMILTON, b. 6-6-1915 in East St. Louis, Illinois, m. 7-7-1940 Geraldine Mae Isenhardt
- (E) ELIZABETH HAMILTON, died as a baby.



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6 H b (1)(A) RAYMOND ANDREW HAMILTON

Raymond Andrew is the oldest son of Charles David and Mary Elizabeth (Rowland) Hamilton, born 6-11-1903 in St. Louis, Missouri. He married Edith Irene Massey on 3-7-1923 in East St. Louis, Illinois. She was born 10-13-1903 to John Massey in East St. Louis, Illinois. Edith Irene died June, 1960, in St. Louis and is buried in Lakeview Memorial Cemetery in Bellville, Illinois. Raymond then married on 10-28-1960 Jewell in Ft. Worth, Texas, where he is currently in the real estate business. Raymond Andrew and Edith Irene had three girls: IRMA LUCILLE, NORMA LEE, and DORTHY ANN.

- (a) IRMA LUCILLE HAMILTON, b. 9-12-1925, m. 2-5-1948 Robert Henry Brand.
- (b) NORMA LEE HAMILTON, b. 8-31-1927 in E. St. Louis, Illinois, d. December, 1970, m. March 1949 Frank Raymond Mattela.
- (c) DORTHY ANN HAMILTON, b. 10-15-1929 in East St. Louis, Illinois, d. June, 1971, m. March, 1949 Francis Hodge.

6 H b (1)(A)(a) IRMA LUCILLE (HAMILTON) BRAND

Irma Lucille is the oldest daughter of Raymond Andrew and Edith Irene (Massey) Hamilton, born 9-12-1925 in East St. Louis, Illinois. She was baptized into Holy Name Catholic Church in Ft. Worth, Texas, in 1932. In Ft. Worth on 2-15-1948 she married Robert Henry Brand, b. 3-24-1926 in Waterlou, Illinois, to Henry A. and Louise (Schilling) Brand. Irma and Raymond had eight children: RONALD HENRY, ROBERT LYNN, DIANA SUE, ROY WILLIS, MARILYN LOUISE, MARY EDITH, DOLORES ROSELLA, and RAYMOND CHARLES.

- 1- RONALD HENRY BRAND, b. 1-7-1949 in Ft. Worth, Texas, m. 9-16-1972 Sharon Roberts and have LILISSA FAYE BRAND, b 11-17-1974.
- 2- ROBERT LYNN BRAND, b. 9-10-1950 in Ft. Worth, m. 11-13-1971 Anita Laramore and have PATRICIA ANN BRAND, b 8-14-1972, and SANDRA LYNN BRAND, b. 7-8-1973.
- 3- DIANA SUE BRAND, b 9-3-1952 in Ft. Worth.
- 4- ROY WILLIS BRAND, b. 9-14-1954 in Ft. Worth, m. 3-1-1975 Mary Ann Doyle.
- 5- MARILYN LOUISE BRAND, b 10-17-1956 in Red Bud, Illinois.
- 6- MARY EDITH BRAND, b 10-30-1960 in Red Bud, Illinois.
- 7- DOLORES ROSELLA BRAND, b 9-27-1964 in Red Bud, Illinois.
- 8- RAYMOND CHARLES BRAND, b. 1-4-1969 in Red Bud, Illinois.



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6 H b (1)(B) CARL ROWLAND HAMILTON

Carl Rowland Hamilton, born 7-23-1905 in Cuba, Missouri, was the son of Charles David and Mary Elizabeth (Rowland) Hamilton. In December of 1924 he married Harriet Antionet Dimock who was born to George and Minnie (Sloan) Dimock in February, 1904, in Texarkana, Arkansas. They now live in Fairview Heights, Illinois, and have two daughters: SELMA JEAN and MARJORIE LEE.

- (a) SELMA JEAN HAMILTON, b. 2-8-1926 in East St. Louis, Illinois, d. March, 1976, m. in August 1949 Roy Kennedy.
- (b) MARJORIE LEE HAMILTON, b. 2-6-1931 in East St. Louis, Illinois, m. January, 1949 Bill Jasper.

6 H b (1)(C) RUTH (HAMILTON) STARR

Ruth, a girl of Charles David and Mary Elizabeth (Rowland) Hamilton, was born in Cuba, Missouri. She married in December, 1924, James Starr and they live in the Bellville, Illinois, area. She had three children: BARBARA, MARY, and JAMES, JR.

6 H b (1)(D) CHARLES EDWARD HAMILTON

Charles Edward was the youngest son of Charles David and Mary Elizabeth (Rowland) Hamilton, born 6-6-1915 in East St. Louis, Illinois. On July 7, 1940, he married Geraldine Mae Isenhardt who was born 2-27-1920 in East St. Louis, Ill. They currently live in Bellville, Illinois, and their children are CHARLES ARTHUR, RICHARD DEAN, and JOAN CHRISTINE.

- (a) CHARLES ARTHUR HAMILTON, b. 3-7-1942, m. 9-4-1964 Mildred Ann Wigginton.
- (b) RICHARD DEAN HAMILTON, b. 12-21-1946, m. 5-8-1969 Joyce Lynn Kline.
- (c) JOAN CHRISTINE HAMILTON, b. 12-9-1953 in Bellville, Ill., m. 1-3-1976 Andrew Allen Goeke.

6 H b (1)(D)(a) CHARLES ARTHUR HAMILTON

Charles Arthur was the first son of Charles Edward and Geraldine Mae (Isenhardt) Hamilton, born 3-7-1942 in Bellville, Illinois. On September 4, 1964, he married the Miss Mildred Ann Wigginton, the daughter of Robert A. and Doris M. (Chatham) Wigginton of East St. Louis, Ill., where she was born 8-18-1943. Their two children are AIMEA ELIZABETH, b. 4-25-1970 and DAVID CHARLES, b. 12-20-1973, both of whom were born in Bellville, Illinois.

6 H b (1)(D)(b) RICHARD DEAN HAMILTON

Richard Dean, son of Charles Edward and Geraldine Mae (Isenhardt) Hamilton,



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was born 12-21-1946 in Bellville, Illinois. He married Joyce Lynn Kline, born 9-5-1949 to Marshal and Barbara (Schwartz) Kline. Their only child is ZOE ROSE HAMILTON, b. 12-10-1972 in Prince Rupert, British Columbia, Canada.

6 H b (2) JOHN THOMAS ROWLAND

John Thomas was born November 22, 1881, near Japan, Franklin County, Mo., of Andrew Thomas and Nancy Ellen (Green) Rowland. On September 9, 1915, in Steelville, Mo., he married Myrtle E. Rector, daughter of Alfred Rector who died at 97 years of age and is buried in Bacon Cemetery. Also, buried there is her brother Frank E. Rector 1898-1965 and his wife Elsie E., b. 1901, to be buried there. John Thomas died March 7, 1958, and was buried in Dexter, Mo. Their children were MARVIN DWAIN, ALFRED THOMAS, GERTRUDE VIRGINIA, HILDA IRENE, and JOHN RAYMOND.

- (A) MARVIN DWAIN, b. 1916, m. Betty Bean.
- (B) ALFRED THOMAS (TOM), b. 1917, m. Jeanetta Parsley.
- (C) GERTRUDE VIRGINIA, b. 1918, d. 1950, m. Walter Deering.
- (D) HILDA IRENE, b. 1919, m. Clarence Myers.
- (E) JOHN RAYMOND, b. 9-30-1930. d. 3-19-1949, m. Dorthy L. Carter.

6 H b (2)(A) MARVIN DWAIN ROWLAND

Marvin Dwain was born in 1916 to John Thomas and Myrtle E. (Rector) Rowland. He married Betty Bean of Dexter, Missouri. They had four children DENNIS DWAIN, m. Carolyn; GENE ALLEN; KAREN EDWINA m. Gilbert Wollard; and MARLA JUNE m. Dallas Buchanan.

6 H b (2)(B) ALFRED THOMAS ROWLAND

Alfred Thomas was the second son of John Thomas and Myrtle E. (Rector) Rowland born in 1917. His wife is Jeanetta Parsley and they have two children: MARY ALICE m. Jack Allen and BEVERLY ANN MARIE m. Lawson Metcalf.

6 H b (2)(C) GERTRUDE VIRGINIA (ROWLAND) DEERING

Gertrude Virginia was a daughter of John Thomas and Myrtle E. (Rector) Rowland, born in 1918. Her husband Walter Deering and she had one boy: LARRY LEE DEERING. Gertrude died 10-2-1950 and is buried in the Mt. Moriah Cemetery, Kansas City, Kansas.

6 H b (2)(D) HILDA IRENE (ROWLAND) MYERS

Hilda Irene, daughter of John Thomas and Myrtle E. (Rector) Rowland, was born



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in 1919 and married Clarence Myers. Their children are BARBARA ANN m. Tom Stanfield; LARRY WAYNE m. Patty Yeakey; and LINDA SUE m. Larry Hollarh.

6 H b (2)(E) JOHN RAYMOND ROWLAND

John Raymond was born to John Thomas and Myrtle E. (Rector) Rowland in East St. Louis, Illinois, on 9-7-1930. On March 19, 1949, he married in Pickett, Ark., Dorthy L. Carter. She was the daughter of Perry and Effie (Snow) Carter, born on the 24th of May 1928 in Missouri. John Raymond was a farmer and brought his family up in the Baptist Church. Their seven children are CHARLES RAYMOND, JOHN ALLEN, GARY LEE, FRANCIS ANN, RICHARD GENE, TERRY WAYNE, and KAY LYNN.

- (a) CHARLES RAYMOND, b. 11-24-1949 in Dexter, Mo., m. 5-15-1970 Elizabeth Thacker.
- (b) JOHN ALLEN, b. 12-17-1950 in Dexter, Mo., m. 5-29-1976 Tonda Bradley.
- (c) GARY LEE, b. 4-25-1952 in Dexter, Mo., m. 12-27-1975 Tina Elfrank.
- (d) FRANCIS ANN, b. 12-8-1954 in Dexter, Mo.
- (e) RICHARD GENE, b. 10-9-1955 in Dexter, Mo.
- (f) TERRY WAYNE, b. 12-20-1957 in Dexter, Mo.
- (g) KAY LYNN, b. 5-20-1959 in Dexter, Mo.

6 H b (3) LAURA E. (ROWLAND) ROBERTSON

Laura E. was a daughter of Andrew Thomas and Nancy Ellen (Green) Rowland, born in 1885 in Argo, Missouri. She married Norman Robertson. He was a stone mason, building the old church building standing at Crow Cemetery in 1923 and Mt. Olive Church at Lisk Creek, Crawford County, among others. She died in Cuba, Missouri, in 1930, and was buried in Crow Cemetery as was Norman, her husband. Their children are WILLIAM EDGAR, MABLE, JOHN ANDREW, JESSIE EARL, FLOYD, HELEN GERTRUDE, PAUL WOODROW, and RALPH.

- (A) WILLIAM EDGAR ROBERTSON, b. 1907, m. Mabel Wright.
- (B) MABLE ROBERTSON, b. 3-2-1908, m. 11-29-1929 Everett Brewer.
- (C) JOHN ANDREW ROBERTSON, b. 3-22-1909, m. 7-6-1935 Florence White.
- (D) JESSIE EARL ROBERTSON, b. 8-29-1910, m. Geneva Sweeten.
- (E) FLOYD ROBERTSON, b. 1913, Sullivan, Mo., d. 1917.
- (F) HELEN GERTRUDE ROBERTSON, b. 1915, m. Lesslie E. Spurgeon.
- (G) PAUL WOODROW ROBERTSON, b. 3-10-1918, m. Aug., 1944, Dorthy Cobb.
- (H) RALPH ROBERTSON, b. 1923, m. Dolores Spurgeon.

6 H b (3)(A) WILLIAM EDGAR ROBERTSON

William Edgar was the first son of Norman and Laura E. (Rowland) Robertson, born in 1907. He married Mabel Wright and is currently a banker in Wichita, Kan., living in Bird City, Kansas. Mabel is a Methodist.



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6 H b (3)(B) MABEL (ROBERTSON) BREWER

Mabel was born to Norman and Laura E. (Rowland) Robertson in Knowels, Okla., on 3-2-1908. On 11-29-1929 she married Everett Brewer. They are members of the Church of Christ and she sells real estate in Cuba, Mo. They have no children.

6 H b (3)(C) JOHN ANDREW ROBERTSON

John Andrew, son of Norman and Laura E. (Rowland) Robertson, was born 3-22-1909 in Cuba, Mo. He married Florence White, daughter of Charlie White of Cuba, on 7-6-1935. As a youngster he smoked his grandpa Andrew Thomas Rowland's tobacco in his long cane fish poles with his brother Jessie Earl and got sick. Today he is in Public Health as a vocation in Cuba, Mo. They are of the Catholic faith and have three children, one boy and two girls.

6 H b (3)(D) JESSIE EARL ROBERTSON

Jessie Earl was born in Shattuck, Okla., on 8-29-1910 to Norman and Laura E. (Rowland) Robertson. His wife is Geneva Sweeten. They are Baptists as most of the Rowlands. Jessie Earl was a railroader and now is retired. They have two daughters.

6 H b (3)(F) HELEN GERTRUDE (ROBERTSON) SPURGEON

Helen Gertrude was born in 1915 in Sullivan, Mo., to Norman and Laura E. (Rowland) Robertson. She married Lesslie E. Spurgeon and has three daughters whom she has brought up as Baptists.

6 H b (3)(G) PAUL WOODROW ROBERTSON

Paul Woodrow is the son of Norman and Laura E. (Rowland) Robertson born 3-10-1918 in Sullivan, Missouri. In August of 1944 he married Dorthy Cobb. They are also Baptists. His work is with a chemical company while living in Owensville, Missouri. Paul spent seven years including World War II with the Coast Guard. They have no children.

6 H b (3)(H) RALPH ROBERTSON

Ralph is the last child born to Norman and Laura E. (Rowland), born in Cuba, Missouri, in 1923. His wife Dolores Spurgeon is a cousin of his sister's husband Lesslie E. Spurgeon. They are of the Christian Church and have a boy and a girl. Ralph spent three years in the Tank Corps in the Korean conflict and now lives in Washington, Missouri, working in shoe manufacturing.



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6 H b (4) SAMUEL JOSEPH ROWLAND

Samuel Joseph, son of Andrew Thomas and Nancy Ellen (Green) Rowland, was born in 1886 in Franklin County, Missouri. On September 25, 1912, he married Mamie Jane Ferris in Steelville, Missouri. Her folks were Charles M. and Mary (Naugle) Ferris of Crawford County, she being born in 1894. She was baptized at the Blue Spring Baptist Church, north of Cuba, about 1900. Samuel Joseph was baptized at Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church nearby in 1923. They lived in Cuba, Missouri, until their third child was born, then for awhile in St. James, moving back to Cuba. In 1928 the family moved to East St. Louis, Illinois. Their children were GEORGE ELMER, SR.; RUTH A.; MYRTLE E.; MARY N.; NELLIE M.; ELSIE M.; and ETHEL A.

- (a) GEORGE ELMER, SR., b 9-19-1913, Cuba, Missouri, m. 1-24-1935 Minnie Clark.
- (b) RUTH A., b 4-19-1915, Cuba, Missouri, d. about 1947, m. Walter Poddigg.
- (c) MYRTLE E., b. 9-28-1916, Cuba, Missouri, m. Robert English, 1976 lives in E. Bellville, Ill.
- (d) MARY N., b 10-23-1919, in St. James, Missouri, m. George W. Johnson, Maj. USAF Ret, 1976 lives in Los Angeles, California.
- (e) NELLIE M., b. 6-7-1921 in St. James, Missouri, m. George Reeve, 1976 lives in Dallas, Texas.
- (f) ELSIE M., b. 7-6-1923 in Cuba, Missouri, m. Harry O'Connell, 1st Lt. Army, 1976 stationed in Fort Watusi, Arizona.
- (g) ETHEL A., b 4-10-1931 in E. St. Louis, Illinois, m. Kenneth Hayden, 1976 lives in Springfield, Missouri.

6 H b (4)(a) GEORGE ELMER ROWLAND, SR.

George Elmer was the oldest son of Samuel Joseph and Mamie Jane (Ferris) Rowland, born September 19, 1913, near Cuba, Missouri. He was baptized at Mt. Pleasant Baptist Church 8-26-1927. In 1928 at 15 years of age he moved with his father's family to Illinois. In 1935 in E. St. Louis, Illinois, he married Minnie Louise Clark whose correct name was Roberts, born to James and Sally (Marcette) Roberts 1-20-1917 in Cambden, Tennessee. George Elmer was a farmer raising vegetables and grain. Their children were GEORGE ELMER, JR.; DONALD A.; JOHN L.; and JAMES O. In 1954 the family moved from Illinois to Wisconsin to start a Baptist Church. They bought a dairy farm to make their living. In 1960 the family relocated to Oakland, California. George Elmer had an insurance agency for ten years, then changed to a furniture and appliance sales. They still lived there in 1975.

- (A) GEORGE ELMER, JR., b. 6-24-1936 in E. St. Louis, Illinois, m. 1958 Annie Gehl, 1976 lives in Winterhead, Wisconsin.
- (B) DONALD A., b. 10-30-1940 in E. St. Louis, m. 1960 Mary Gutzmer.
- (C) JOHN L., b 7-22-1943 in E. St. Louis, m 1966 Sharon Steeley.



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(D) JAMES O., b. 8-13-1947 in E. St. Louis, m. 1970
Sharon Wright.

6 H b (5) JESSE BENJAMIN ROWLAND

Jesse Benjamin was born to Andrew Thomas and Nancy Ellen (Green) Rowland in 1890 in Leasburg, Missouri. In Union, Mo., on 4-30-1930 he married Helen A. Pilz. She was born in 1913 to Walter Pilz (1883-1919) and Anna (1894-1942) Pilz. Jesse was in the 88th Division of Infantry during World War I. Being gassed and wounded he was retired on a medical disability. Later he worked in the railroad shops in St. Louis where he lost an eye on the job. He was buried in 1950 with a military funeral in Kinder Cemetery, Cuba, Missouri, where his wife Helen was in 1937. They had two daughters: MARY HELEN and BONNIE.

(A) MARY HELEN, m Charles Ferris and lives in Sullivan, Missouri.

(B) BONNIE, m. and lives in Kingman, Missouri.

6 H b (6) WILL DAVID ROWLAND

Will David was the sixth child born to Andrew Thomas and Nancy Ellen (Green) Rowland on 10-8-1894 in Argo, Crawford County, Missouri. He married Jessie Isabell Russell on September 14, 1927, in Sullivan, Missouri. She was born 1-4-1901 near Potasi, Washington County, Missouri, on Indian Creek. They moved to Illinois where their first two children were born, then they returned to the Bourbon, Missouri, area. In 1975 they were both still alive, living on the old family farm near Leasburg, Mo. Their children are DAVID ANDREW, CLEO ISABELL, VIOLA MARIE, BETTY JEAN, SAMUEL LEE, WILMA ANN, WILLIAM JOSEPH, and RUTH ELLEN.

(A) DAVID ANDREW, b. 10-10-1928, m. 1-20-1951 Thelma Dorthy Pratt.

(B) CLEO ISABELL; b 9-21-1929, m Edward Homer Carlisle.

(C) VIOLA MARIE, b 6-11-1931, m. 4-29-1950 Marvin Ware.

(D) BETTY JEAN, b. 12-4-1932, m. Alan Walter Enlow.

(E) SAMUEL LEE (SAM), b. 9-2-1936, m. Virginia Valley.

(F) WILMA ANN, b 9-21-1937, m 6-4-1955 Floyd A. Kitchen.

(G) WILLIAM JOSEPH, b. 1-19-1939, m. 3-31-1976 Debbie.

(H) RUTH ELLEN, b. 1-20-1948, m. Carl Lee.

6 H b (6)(A) DAVID ANDREW ROWLAND

David Andrew was the first son of Will David and Jessie Isabell (Russell) Rowland born 10-10-1928 in Collinsville, Illinois. He married Thelma Dorthy Pratt on January 20, 1951, in Salem, Arkansas. She is the daughter of Virgie and Eula (Richardson) Pratt, born 2-25-1928. During the Korean War he was in the 74th Engineers. Now he is a machinist, precision tool and cutter grinder for McDonald Aircraft in St. Louis, Missouri. They live in Bourbon, Missouri. David Andrew was very helpful in taking the author to several local family cemeteries and family members. He is a member of the Masonic Lodge 69 in Sullivan, Missouri. The family



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is Baptist. Their children are LARRY DAVID and CONNIE ROSE.

- (a) LARRY DAVID, b. 8-27-1953 in Rolla, Mo. is single.
- (b) CONNIE ROSE, b. 7-5-1957 in Rolla, Mo., is a student in the Junior College at Union, Mo.

6 H b (6)(B) CLEO ISABELL (ROWLAND) CARLISLE

Cleo Isabell was also born in Collinsville, Illinois, 9-21-1929, to Will David and Jessie Isabell (Russell) Rowland. She and her husband Edward Homer Carlisle were married 11-9-1951 in Leasburg, Missouri, and live near by. Edward is with the Ramsey Corp. at Sullivan and Cleo is with the Vicky Silver Dollar Outpost. Their children are VICKEY and TERRY HOMER.

- (a) VICKEY CARLISLE, b. 1957 in Rolla, Missouri.
- (b) TERRY HOMER CARLISLE, b. in Rolla, Missouri.

6 H b (6)(C) VIOLA MARIE (ROWLAND) WARE

Viola Marie was born 6-11-1931 in Leasburg, Crawford County, Missouri, to Will David and Jessie Isabell (Russell) Rowland. She married Marvin L. Ware, son of Jess Ware of Cuba, Missouri, on 4-29-1950 in Fulton, Arkansas. Their children are JOAN MARIE, WAYNE MARVIN, JANE, RANDY, and SHELA.

- (a) JOAN MARIE WARE, b. 6-25-1951 in Rolla, Mo., m. 7-31-1971 Virgil Bouse.
- (b) WAYNE MARVIN WARE, b. 9-30-1952 in Rolla, Mo., m. 11-6-1971 Barbara Hill. They are divorced.
- (c) JANE WARE, b. 12-19-1957 in Rolla, Mo., m. Sam Hafley.
- (d) RANDY WARE, b. 4-27-1960 in Rolla, Mo.
- (e) SHEILA WARE, b. 10-14-1968 in Rolla, Mo.

6 H b (6)(D) BETTY JEAN (ROWLAND) ENLOW

Betty Jean, daughter of Will David and Jessie Isabell (Russell) Rowland, was born December 4, 1932, near Leasburg, Missouri. She married Alan Walter Enlow and they live in Briggston, St. Louis County, Missouri. Alan Walter was born 11-5-1930 in Cuba, Missouri, to Walter H. and Louise (Beyer) Enlow. They have two children: GARY DALE and KATHY SUE.

- (a) GARY DALE ENLOW, b. 10-29-1951 in Rolla, Mo., m. Vernita Mayfield on 11-5-1974.
- (b) KATHY SUE ENLOW, b. 8-16-1954 in Rolla, Mo., and currently working at Missouri Baptist Hospital.



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6 H b (6)(E) SAMUEL (SAM) LEE ROWLAND

Samuel Lee is the second son of Will David and Jessie Isabell (Russell) Rowland, born in Leasburg, Missouri, on 9-2-1936. He married Virginia Valley, daughter of George Valley, Sullivan, Missouri, whom he divorced in 1976. She was driving the school bus for the Presbyterian Church in Sullivan and he is driving for the Bourbon Redi-Mix Concrete. Their daughter is ANGIE.

(a) ANGIE, b. 2-28-1969 in Sullivan, Missouri.

6 H b (6)(F) WILMA ANN (ROWLAND) KITCHEN

Wilma Ann is a daughter of Will David and Jessie Isabell (Russell) Rowland, was born 9-21-1937 in Leasburg, Mo. She married a local boy Floyd A. Kitchen on 6-4-1955, son of Ralph and Elsie (Lickliden) Kitchen. Ralph was a Baptist preacher as his grandfather was before him. Floyd has been a carpenter for twenty-two years in Sullivan, Missouri. Their children are SHERRY ANN, FLOYD WILLIAM, and MARK ALLEN.

(a) SHERRY ANN KITCHEN, b. 3-24-1957 in Rolla, Mo. m. 12-31-1975 Gary Gallespy. They have a daughter TARA ANN GILLESPIE, b. 9-9-1976 in Camden, Mo. They currently live in Sullivan, Missouri.

(b) FLOYD WILLIAM KITCHEN, b. 4-23-1961 in Rolla, Missouri.

(c) MARK ALLEN KITCHEN, b. 7-31-1971 in Sullivan, Missouri.

6 H b (6)(G) WILLIAM JOSEPH ROWLAND

William Joseph was the third and last son of Will David and Jessie Isabell (Russell) Rowland, born 1-19-1938, in Leasburg, Missouri. He enlisted in 1959 and has made the Army his career (M.Sgt.) and married a career Army woman, Debbie, on March 21, 1976. She was born in Maplewood, Missouri, but raised in Albuquerque, New Mexico. In 1975 he was stationed at Ft. Carson, Colorado, then just after their marriage, they were both transferred to Wiesbaden, Germany. William Joseph was in Vietnam twice where he was awarded the Bronze Star with "V" for Valor.

6 H b (6)(H) RUTH ELLEN (ROWLAND) LEE

Ruth Ellen was a very late child of Will David and Jessie Isabell (Russell) Rowland, born 1-20-1948, in Sullivan, Missouri. She married Carl Lee from Mobile, Alabama, in Pen Junction Baptist Church, Bridgeton, St. Louis County, Missouri. He is with the Burrows Crop, in St. Louis. They have two children CARLA and KYLE.



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6 H c. JAMES ARCHIBALD ROWLAND

James Archibald (Jim) was born in Missouri in 1861 to Joseph and Sarah Ann (Ferguson) Rowland, their third son. On August 23, 1886, Jim of Bern, Gasconade County, Missouri, married Elizabeth W. Brown of Bourbon, Missouri. She was born in 1870 so was given consent to marry by her father John Brown. James Archibald or Jim, as he was always known, bought 113 acres of Red Oak Creek in Sections 1 and 2 Township 40 Range 4 West, Franklin County, in 1895. He acquired other properties nearby through 1901. Then he sold off parcels of these. At this time, his sister Sarah C. Tayloe was living in Texas and returned for a visit. He also owned 240 acres in Sections 17 and 18 Township 36 Range 3 East in Washington County which he sold in 1899. He died in 1920 and was buried in New Friendship Cemetery as was Elizabeth when she died in 1954. Their five children were LYDIA ANN, ETHEL ELIZABETH, SARAH HELEN, GUY LOGAN, and JOHN CHESTER.

- (1) LYDIA ANN, b. 5-15-1887, d. 1968, m. 10-3-1910 William F. Schweer.
- (2) ETHEL ELIZABETH, b. 2-10-1889, m. 6-1909 Omar Bartell.
- (3) SARAH HELEN, b. 5-18-1891, d. 7-16-1972, m. Anton (Tony) F. Mertle.
- (4) GUY LOGAN, b. 6-18-1893, d. 11-11-1971, m. 4-20-1915 Rosa P. Pollock.
- (5) JOHN CHESTER, b. 9-14-1902, d. ca 6-1976, m. 9-21-1920 Neoma A. Phieffer.

6 H c (1) LYDIA ANN (ROWLAND) SCHWEER

Lydia Ann was the first child of James Archibald and Elizabeth W. (Brown) Rowland, born near Tea, Missouri, on 5-15-1887. She was married on 10-5-1910 to William Fredrick (Bill) Schweer of Elmont, Missouri, who was born in 1875. They lived a few years in the Strain Community of Franklin County, Missouri, then moved to Walbert Community where they bought 316 acres and raised their family. Bill and Lydia deeded one acre of land to New Friendship Baptist Church for a cemetery. The school also sat on one acre of land that belonged to them which in 1945 was deeded to New Friendship Baptist Church in Bill's memory. They both, along with several members of their families, are buried in that cemetery. William F. died in 1945 and Lydia Ann moved to Springfield, Missouri, and lived to 81 years of age, dying in 1968 at Springfield, Mo., after a lingering illness, then was buried in New Friendship Cemetery. Their children were MARY ANN, ANTHON F., NANCY SERALIDIA, VIVIAN, KENNETH AVOLL, ROY QUETON, ERWIN B., and EARL.

- (A) MARY ANN SCHWEER, b. 1911, br. New Friendship Cem.
- (B) ANTHON F. SCHWEER, b. 1912 in Elmont, Mo., m. 1-24-1962 Virginia H. Ray.
- (C) NANCY SERALIDIA SCHWEER, b. 1-11-1914, m. 6-19-1949 Kenneth Bernard Anderson.
- (D) VIVIAN SCHWEER, b 1916, br. New Friendship Cemetery d. 1916.
- (E) KENNETH AVOLL SCHWEER, b. 3-15-1919, m. Naomi Dale Branson.
- (F) ROY QUETON SCHWEER, b. 4-22-1920, m. 9-1-1944 Verna Ruth Brown.



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- (G) ERWIN BURNETT (PEE WEE) SCHWEER, b. 11-2-1922, d. 9-3-1976, m. Evelyn Kyser.
(H) EARL EDWIN SCHWEER, b. 7-19-1926, m. 10-22-1945 Doris Jane Rethemeyer.

6 H c (1)(B) ANTHON F. SCHWEER

Anthon F. was born during 1912 in Elmont, Missouri, to William Fredrick and Lydia Ann (Rowland) Schweer. On 11-24-1962 he married Virginia H. Ray, who was born in 1913 in Winchester, Virginia, to Clarence Edgar and Mabel C. (Mason) Ray. They have no children. He has been a carpenter for thirty-six years and saw service from 1942 to 1946. They live in St. Charles, Missouri.

6 H c (1)(C) NANCY SERALDIA (SCHWEER) ANDERSON

Nancy Seraldia was born on 1-11-1914 to William Fredrick and Lydia Ann (Rowland) Schweer in Franklin County, Missouri. She was married in the Third Baptist Church in St. Louis on 6-19-1949 to Kenneth Bernard Anderson, born 10-4-1909 in St. Louis to Gustave Eugene and Emma V. (Acherson) Anderson. They had two children GERALDINE and WILLIAM E.

- (a) GERALDINE ANDERSON, b. 1-12-1941, m. 6-25-1961 Wallace D. Hemingway.
(b) WILLIAM E. ANDERSON, b. 8-27-1951 in Springfield, Missouri.

6 H c (1)(C)(a) GERALDINE (ANDERSON) HEMINGWAY

Geraldine, daughter of Kenneth Bernard and Nancy Seraldia (Schweer) Anderson, was born 1-12-1941 in Gerald, Franklin County, Missouri. She married Wallace D. Hemingway on 6-25-1961. He was born on 12-12-1935 in Everton, Missouri. Their two children are LISA MACHELLE and JASON DOUGLAS.

- 1- LISA MACHELLE HEMINGWAY, b. 2-2-1968 in Springfield, Missouri.
-2- JASON DOUGLAS HEMINGWAY, b. 12-26-1973 in Springfield, Missouri.

6 H c (1)(E) KENNETH AVOLL SCHWEER

Kenneth Avoll was born to William Fredrick (Bill) and Lydia Ann (Rowland) Schweer 3-15-1919 in Gerald, Franklin County, Missouri. He married Naomi Dale Branson, who was born 9-4-1922 to Fred M. and Mina (Carivile) Branson in Bland, Osage County, Mo. They raised their family in Washington and Owensville, Mo. In March, 1952, they both were baptized into the First Baptist Church in Owensville, Missouri. Their children are KENNETH RAY, RICHARD GALE, and RANDY DUANE.



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- (a) KENNETH RAY SCHWEER, b 2-17-1944, m. 8-22-1963
Margaret Lipskock.
- (b) RICHARD GALE SCHWEER, b 11-4-1947, m 5-3-1968
Jeanie Heck.
- (c) RANDY DUANE SCHWEER, b 3-4-1954, m. 11-29-1975
Kim Terese Aytes.

6 H c (1)(E)(a) KENNETH RAY SCHWEER

Kenneth Ray was the first boy born to Kenneth Avoll and Naomi Dale (Branson) Schweer on 2-17-1944 in Washington, Missouri. He was baptized in Owensville on 3-6-1955 into the First Baptist Church. Then on 8-24-1963 he married Margaret Ann Lipskock. She was born to Harvey John and Margaret (Gove) Lipskock on 11-25-1945 in Jefferson City, Missouri. She was also baptized in Owensville on 5-2-1971. Their children are LISA ANN, MADONNA RAE, KENDALL SCOTT, and KENDRA ANNETTA.

- 1- LISA ANN SCHWEER, b 2-17-1966 in Washington, Missouri.
- 2- MADONNA RAE SCHWEER, b. 5-27-1968 in Washington, Missouri.
- 3- KENDALL SCOTT SCHWEER, b. 8-22-1970 in Washington, Missouri, d. 8-23-1970.
- 4- KENDRA ANNETTA SCHWEER, b. 2-10-1972 in Washington, Missouri.

6 H c (1)(E)(b) RICHARD GALE SCHWEER

Richard Gale was the second son of Kenneth Avoll and Naomi Dale (Branson) Schweer born 11-4-1947 in Washington, Missouri. Being brought up a Baptist he was baptized in the Spring of 1965 in Owensville. He met and married Caroline Jean Heck who had been baptized in 1967 in Owensville. She was born in Belle, Mo., on 1-19-1949 to Herbert Victor and Thelma M. (Elrod) Heck. Their children are CHERYL LEA and CHRISTA LANE. Richard and Jeanie were married 5-3-1968.

- 1- CHERYL LEA SCHWEER, b 3-9-1969 in Washington, Missouri.
- 2- CHRISTA LANE SCHWEER, b 6-29-1973 in Jefferson City, Missouri.

6 H c (1)(E)(c) RANDY DUANE SCHWEER

Randy Duane, born 3-4-1954 in Washington, Missouri, was the last son of Kenneth Avoll and Naomi Dale (Branson) Schweer. Like his brothers he was baptized in Owensville on 6-14-1964. His wife is Kim Terese (Aytes) who is the daughter of Glenwood Harvard and Betty Lee (Hampton) Aytes. She was born in Washington, Mo., on 7-27-1958 and baptized by Zion United Methodist Church of Owensville on 3-16-1959. Their only child is AMY NICOLE, b. 6-5-1965 in Jefferson City, Missouri.



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6 H c (1)(F) ROY QUENTON SCHWEER

Roy Quenton was born 4-22-1920 in Gerald, Missouri, to William Fredrick (Bill) and Lydia Ann (Rowland) Schweer. At fourteen he was baptized in the New Friendship Baptist Church as was his wife Verna Ruth (Brown) in 1940. She was born in Newton, Kansas, on 2-4-1927 to Albert Leslie and Ruth Belle (May) Brown. Roy and Verna Ruth are now members of St. Paul's United Church of Christ. Their children are RUTH ANN and GLENDA MAE.

- (a) RUTH ANN SCHWEER, b. 7-10-1945, m. 7-13-1963
Fred Hartung.
- (b) GLENDA MAE SCHWEER, b 10-17-1947, m. 9-24-1965
Charles Caldwell.

6 H c (1)(F)(a) RUTH ANN (SCHWEER) HARTUNG

Ruth Ann is the oldest of two daughters of Roy Quenton and Verna Ruth (Brown) Schweer being born 10-7-1945 in Gerald, Missouri. She was baptized on 5-22-1960 at St. Paul's United Church of Christ in Gerald. On 7-13-1963 she was married to Fredrick Louis (Fred) Hartung. Fred is the son of Williard Harland (Jess) and Oma Virginia (Richardson) Hartung. He was born 7-31-1942 and baptized at the First Methodist Church in Bourbon, Missouri, on 2-15-1976 where his family are members. Their two children are CAROL RUTH and BRIAN FREDRICK.

- 1- CAROL RUTH HARTUNG, b. 12-22-1963 in
Sullivan, Missouri.
- 2- BRIAN FREDRICK HARTUNG, b 12-20-1972, also
in Sullivan, Missouri.

6 H c (1)(F)(b) GLENDA MAE (SCHWEER) CALDWELL

Glenda Mae is the daughter of Roy Quenton and Verna Ruth (Brown) Schweer. Her birthdate was 10-17-1947 in Washington, Missouri. She married on 9-24-1965 Charles Caldwell whom she later divorced. Their children are VERNON WILLIAM and AMY LYNN.

- 1- VERNON WILLIAM CALDWELL, b. 8-2-1969 in
Washington, Missouri.
- 2- AMY LYNN CALDWELL, b. 10-10-1973 in Wash-
ington, Missouri.

6 H c (1)(G) ERWIN BURNETT SCHWEER

Erwin Burnett, known as PEE WEE, was born 7-2-1922 in Gerald, Missouri, to William Fredrick and Lydia Ann (Rowland) Schweer. On 4-2-1941 he married Evelyn Marie Kyser in Centeline, Michigan, who was born on 7-27-1924. They made their home in Michigan, raised one boy ROBERT WILLIAM, who was born 6-26-1942. Erwin served in the army in the South Pacific during World War II. He was employed by the Ann Arbor Railroad in maintenance and communication for thirty years, being a



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member of International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers. Erwin Burnett died 9-3-1976 in Allen Park, Michigan, and was buried in Hillcrest Memorial Gardens, Owosso, Michigan.

- (a) ROBERT WILLIAM SCHWEER, b. 6-26-1942, m. (1) 6-29-1963 Karen Hoisington, (2) 3-1-1975 Ann (Susetta) Lowry Crowley.

6 H c (1)(G)(a) ROBERT WILLIAM SCHWEER

Robert William was born to Erwin Burnett and Evelyn Marie (Kyser) Schweer on 6-26-1942. He married on 6-29-1963 Karen Mae Hoisington who was born on 2-17-1943. She gave him two children, KATHY SUE, b 5-20-1964, and DAVID WILLIAM, b 6-18-1965, and then they were divorced. His second marriage was to Mrs. Ann Susetta (Lowry) Crowley on 3-1-1975. She was born 10-21-1946 and had three children: Tamera Sue Crowley, b. 4-25-1964; Pandra Lynn Crowley; and Tonya Renee Crowley, b. 5-9-1969.

6 H c (1)(H) EARL EDWIN (PETE) SCHWEER

Earl Edwin, born as PETE, was the last son and child of William Fredrick and Lydia Ann (Rowland) Schweer, born on 7-19-1926 in Gerald, Missouri. On 10-27-1945 in Union, Missouri, he married Doris Jane Rethemeyer, daughter of Harry Walter and Thelma May (Carville) Rethemeyer. She was born on 10-21-1928 in Owensville, Missouri. Their two children were JEFFRY ALAN and PATRICIA KAY. Earl Edwin served in the Navy 1-4-1945 to 3-1946. He was employed in 1950 by Allied Chemical and is now working in maintenance and electrical at the Owensville Plant. Pete is a member of VFW and Belle Lodge AF and AM. Doris has worked in the past in a shoe factory and is a member of the Rebekah's, where she was Nobel Guard in 1971. Both are members of the Baptist church.

- (a) JEFFRY ALAN SCHWEER, b 6-11-1950 in Washington, Missouri, m. 9-7-1973 Jarene Althen Powers and has one son JEFFRY ALEXANDER, b. 4-1-1974 in Waverly, Indiana. He is a graduate engineer of the University of Missouri at Rolla, and is Presbyterian.
- (b) PATRICIA KAY SCHWEER, b. 11-14-1951 in Washington, Missouri, now teaching the 5th grade in Cuba, Missouri, and is a Baptist.

6 H c (2) ETHEL ELIZABETH (ROWLAND) BARTELL

Ethel Elizabeth was the second child born to James Archibald and Elizabeth W. (Brown) Rowland on 2-10-1889. Ethel Elizabeth married Omar William T. Bartell on 1-6-1909 in Union, Missouri, by Jesse M. Owens, and they had two daughters. Ethel Elizabeth was living in the nursing home in Bell, Missouri, in 1975. Their two daughters are NOEL and VELMA ETHELENE.

- (A) NOEL BARTELL, d. ca 25 years of age.

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(B) VELMA ETHELENE BARTEL, b. 5-2-1923, m. 12-20-1941
Henry Joseph Curtman.

6 H c (2)(B) VELMA ETHELENE (BARTEL) CURTMAN

Velma Ethelene was the daughter of Omar William T. and Ethel Elizabeth (Rowland) Bartel, born on 5-2-1923 in Gerald, Missouri. She married Henry Joseph Curtman in Union, Missouri, on 12-20-1941. He was the son of Charles Otto and Emme Lee (Parker) Curtman, born in Dixon, Miller County, Missouri, on 11-29-1918. Velma Ethelene and Henry Joseph operate the store in Rosebud, Missouri, today. Their children are NELDALEE ELIZABETH and EUGENE JOSEPH.

(a) NELDALEE ELIZABETH CURTMAN, b. 5-9-1943 in Gerald, Missouri, m 3-10-1964 John A. Schloeman.

(b) EUGENE JOSEPH CURTMAN, b. 6-15-1944 in Gerald, Missouri, m. 5-12-1964 Bewlah Mae Wisdom.

6 H c (3) SARAH HELEN (ROWLAND) MERTLE

Sarah Helen was the second daughter of James Archibald and Elizabeth W. (Brown) Rowland, born on 5-18-1891 near Walbert, Missouri. She married Anton (Tony) F. Mertle on 11-23-1913 in Owensville, Missouri. He was born on 4-29-1892 on a farm two miles east of Tea, Missouri, to Frank and Barbara (Mohesky) Mertle, who were of the Catholic Church. Sarah Helen and Anton (Tony) F. Mertle brought their family up in the Catholic Church. They had two daughters: ALICE CARMOLETTA and MARGARET MARIE.

(A) ALICE CARMOLETTA MERTLE, b 11-24-1915, m. 7-12-1932 Edgar Koepke.

(B) MARGARET MARIE MERTLE, b. 1-25-1928, m. (1) Harvard H. Meyer and (2) 5-25-1974 William L. Balliu.

6 H c (3)(A) ALICE CARMOLETTA (MERTLE) KOEPKE

Alice Carmoletta was born on 11-24-1915 on a farm south of Rosebud, Missouri, to Anton (Tony) F. and Sarah Helen (Rowland) Mertle. She was married in the Immaculate Conception Catholic Church of Owensville, Missouri, on 7-12-1932 to Edgar C. Koepke, who was born to Fred H. and Lillie A. (Weller) Koepke on 12-11-1908 south of Rosebud. He was brought up in the Red Oak Methodist Church. Their children are LEROY E. and IRMAGENE MARIE (JEANNIE).

(a) LEROY EDGAR KOEPKE, b. 3-7-1935 on a farm in Gasconade County, Missouri, m. (1) 7-29-1956 Dana F. Shea, and (2) 6-4-1976 Paula Fithian.

(b) IRMAGENE MARIE (JEANNIE) KOEPKE, b. 4-11-1939 in Owensville, Missouri, m. 11-29-1958 Donald E. Warden.



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6 H c (3)(A)(a) LEROY EDGAR KOEPKE

Leroy Edgar, son of Edgar C. and Alice Carmoletta (Mertle) Koepke, was born on the family farm south of Rosebud, Missouri, on 3-7-1935. He was christened in April of 1935 in the Catholic church of Owensville, Missouri. He married on 6-29-1956 in the Catholic church at Monroe, New York, Dana F. Shea, daughter of Dan and Francis Shea, born 11-27-1938. They had four children: MICHAEL LEE, CHRISTOPHER ROY, ROBIN NICOLE, and PATRICK DANA. On 6-4-1976 in Austin, Texas, Leroy Edgar married Paula Fithian.

- 1- MICHAEL LEE KOEPKE, b 6-3-1958 in Newburgh, New York.
- 2- CHRISTOPHER ROY KOEPKE, b. 3-18-1964 in Colorado Springs, Colorado.
- 3- ROBIN NICOLE KOEPKE, b. 5-25-1965 in Chateroux, France, d. 8-21-1965.
- 4- PATRICK DANA KOEPKE, b. 3-23-1966 in Chaterous, France.

6 H c (3)(A)(b) IRMAGENE MARIE (KOEPKE) WARDEN

Irmagene Marie was born 4-11-1939 to Edgar C. and Alice Carmoletta (Mertle) Koepke in Owensville, Missouri. On 11-29-1958 she married Donald Eugene Warden, born 11-17-1937 in Owensville to Ralph and Thelma (Gibson) Warden. Their two children are DENNIS RALPH and DENISE MARIE.

- 1- DENNIS RALPH WARDEN, b. 11-28-1959 in Owensville, Missouri.
- 2- DENISE MARIE WARDEN, b. 8-26-1961 in Owensville, Missouri.

6 H c (3)(B) MARGARET MARIE (MERTLE)(MEYER) BALLIU

Margaret Marie was born on 1-25-1928 in Rosebud, Missouri, to Anton (Tony) F. and Sarah Helen (Rowland) Mertle. She was brought up a Catholic in Owensville, Missouri. She married Harvard H. Meyer on 3-31-1951 whom she divorced in 1970. His parents were Henry W. and Henrietta (Ruffner) Meyer of Owensville, Missouri. They had three children: CHRISTINA MARIE, KERRY ELLEN, and THOMAS ANTHON. Margaret Marie then married William L. Balliu, b 12-6-1927 in Rock Island, Illinois, to Clem and Gladys (Spivey) Balliu, on 5-25-1974. Margaret Marie and William Balliu and her children are now making their home in Kansas City, Missouri.

- (a) CHRISTINA MARIE MEYER, b 8-19-1954 in Richmond, Ray County, Missouri.
- (b) KERRY ELLEN MEYER, b. 1-20-1957 in Richmond, Ray County, Missouri.
- (c) THOMAS ANTHON MEYER, b. 3-10-1957 in Richmond, Ray County, Missouri.



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6 H c (4) GUY LOGAN ROWLAND

Guy Logan was born on 6-18-1893 to James Archibald and Elizabeth W. (Brown) Rowland as their fourth child. He married Rosa P. Pollock on 4-20-1915 in Owensville, Missouri. She was of the Catholic faith, born to Frank and Mary (Piezuck) Pollock on 8-28-1891 in Tea, Missouri. Guy Logan was a Woodsman of America, living in Elmont, Missouri. He registered for World War I but was never called. Guy Logan and Rosa both died in St. Louis, Missouri, in 1971; he on October 11 and she on September 18. They were buried in the Immaculate Conception Cemetery, Owensville, Missouri. Their one boy was JEROME GUY.

- (A) JEROME GUY ROWLAND, b. 10-1-1919, d. 12-24-1960, m.
(1) Doris Plank and (2) Jessica Steinhaver.

6 H c (4)(A) JEROME GUY ROWLAND

Jerome Guy, son of Guy Logan and Rosa P. (Pollock) Rowland, was born on 10-1-1919 in Owensville, Missouri, and was baptized into the Catholic church. He first married Doris Plank, whom he divorced. Then he married on 10-20-1951 Jessica Steinhaver, who bore him one daughter JERRIE.

- (a) JERRIE, b 5-23-1952, m Douglas A. Scarborough.

6 H c (4)(A)(a) JERRIE (ROWLAND) SCARBOROUGH

Jerrie was an only child of Jerome Guy and Jessica (Steinhaver) Rowland, born 5-23-1952. She married Douglas A. Scarborough on 1-12-1973 and they have three children: DOUGLAS MICHAEL, KRISTINA KATHLEEN, and NICHOLAS ALLEN. The family had a serious disaster the middle of October, 1976, in that a fire in their home consumed all their personal belongings. That and a new baby has caused them to live with her mother until they can find another house and get a new start.

- 1- DOUGLAS MICHAEL SCARBOROUGH, b 8-21-1973.
- 2- KRISTINA KATHLEEN SCARBOROUGH, b 9-12-1974.
- 3- NICHOLAS ALLEN SCARBOROUGH, b. 10-4-1976.

6 H c (5) JOHN CHESTER ROWLAND

John Chester was born to James Archibald and Elizabeth W. (Brown) Rowland near Walbert, Franklin County, Missouri, on 9-14-1902. On 9-21-1920 he married Neoma A. Pfeiffer of Owensville, Missouri. She was born 9-4-1902 in Caldwell, Idaho. They had two boys and two girls: CLEO (a boy), JEANIE, JUNE, and MELVIN. She died on 2-28-1953 and was buried in Boise, Idaho. John Chester's second wife was Wilma _____ and she bore him two more daughters: DELORIS and SHIRLEY.



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6 H d SARAH CAROLINE (ROWLAND) TAYLOE

Sarah Caroline, daughter of Joseph and Sarah Ann (Ferguson) Rowland, was born 11-13-1863 in Tea, Missouri, where Joseph was a blacksmith. She married David C. Tayloe during 1890 in Herman, Missouri. He was born in 1834, thus thirty years older than she. A merchant, farmer, and Justice of Peace at Ben, Missouri, was how he made his living. He died in 1897 having been married seven years and was buried in Ferris Cemetery. Sarah Caroline lived to be 76 years old, dying on 4-13-1939 and was buried in Bacon Cemetery. They had a girl RUTH D.

- (1) RUTH D. TAYLOE, b 3-30-1894, d. 6-25-1970, m. 10-14-1915 Oliver Davis Downes.

6 H d (1) RUTH D. (TAYLOE) DOWNES

Ruth D. was born to David C. and Sarah Caroline (Rowland) Tayloe on 3-30-1894 in Ben, Gasconade County, Missouri. She was married on 10-14-1915 to Oliver Davis Downes, who was born in Bourbon, Missouri, on 7-14-1895. Davis died 8-20-1969 while Ruth D. lived until 6-25-1970. Their children are ERVIN LOYD, DORIS E., and MARIE E.

- (A) ERVIN LOYD DOWNES, b. 1-2-1918, m. 8-7-1940 Essie Virginia Rector.
(B) DORIS E. DOWNES, b. 3-27-1921, m. 6-17-1945 Quenton S. Rohrer.
(C) MARIE ELIZABETH DOWNES, b. 8-9-1923, m. 6-11-1947 Nornal E. Gibson.

6 H d (1)(A) ERVIN LOYD DOWNES

Ervin Loyd, son of Oliver Davis and Ruth D. (Tayloe) Downes, was born near Bourbon, Missouri, on 1-2-1918. He married Essie Virginia Rector, the daughter of Titus C. and Clemina A. (Woodruff) Rector, born 1-4-1910, also near Bourbon. Ervin was a farmer and factory worker and Essie a telephone operator. Both are now retired in Sullivan, Missouri. They had no children.

6 H d (1)(B) DORIS (DOWNES) ROHRER

Doris was born 3-27-1921 near Bourbon, Missouri, to Oliver Davis and Ruth D. (Tayloe) Downes. On 6-17-1945 in Owensville, Missouri, she married Quenton S. Rohrer, born 3-7-1918 in Bourbon, son of Jacob and Elizabeth (Allsman) Rohrer. Their children VIRGIL KENNETH, ELIZABETH RUTH, and JOHN DOWNES were all born in Berkley, California. Doris and Quenton again live in Bourbon, Missouri.

- (a) VIRGIL KENNETH ROHRER, b. 7-15-1946, m. 6-21-1969 Nancy Grotewil and is a lawyer.
(b) ELIZABETH RUTH ROHRER, b. 2-14-1950, m. 4-8-1972 Kenneth V. Field.



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(c) JOHN DOWNES ROHRER, b. 3-18-1951, m. 5-18-1976
Pattie Struck and is a lawyer.

6 H d (1)(C) MARIE ELIZABETH (DOWNES) GIBSON

Marie Elizabeth was the last child of Oliver Davis and Ruth D. (Tayloe) Downes born 9-9-1923 near Bourbon. She married on 6-11-1947 in Steelville, Mo. Normal E. Gibson, born 2-2-1919 in Crawford County, Missouri, of Isaac Gibson. They had one boy THOMAS EDWARD born 6-29-1949 in St. Louis, Missouri.

6 H i MARY ELIZABETH (ROWLAND) BACON

Mary Elizabeth was the ninth child of Joseph and Sarah Ann (Ferguson) Rowland, born 3-26-1875. She married Charles E. Bacon on 2-14-1894. Mary Elizabeth died 9-26-1928 and Charles E. on 12-2-1965, both are buried in Bacon Cemetery near Argo, Missouri. Among their children was ANNIE VIOLET, born 12-21-1894 in Argo. She never married and is the oldest living Jacob Rowland descendent today. She taught school for six years as a young woman, then worked in the Bank at Marshal, Mo., for several years, helping the family, her father and brother. She was a Methodist by faith.

Another daughter GEORGIA BACON (b. 2-22-1905 in Bourbon, Missouri) married on 2-17-1930 William P. Curnutt (b. 6-7-1900 in Barnard, Missouri, of Samuel P. and Harriet (Nelson) Curnutt). They both are teachers (she for 34 years and he for 47 years) and have now retired to Springfield, Missouri. Their one daughter WILLA CLAIRE CURNUTT was born in Doniphan, Missouri, on 8-6-1937. She married William L. Mathews on 6-8-1957 and they have two sons: CHARLES MATHEWS, b. 9-4-1958 in St. Louis, Missouri, and BOBBY MATHEWS, b. 7-12-1959 in Pacific, Missouri.

6 I. JAMES ROWLAND

James, a twin to Joseph, was born in 1831 of Archibald L., Sr., and Susannah (Crawford) Rowland, probably in Washington County of Missouri. Little is known of this James except that he married a girl named Virginia and according to the 1870 census they lived in Boone Township, Franklin County, Missouri, with three children: BENJAMIN, born in 1856; SARAH, born in 1860; and ALICE, born in 1863. This, no doubt, indicates they lived near his father Archibald's farm that he was raised on.

6 J. EDWARD S. ROWLAND

Edward S. is probably the tenth child of Archibald L., Sr., and Susannah (Crawford) Rowland. Very little is known about him. In 1862 he was a 2nd Lt. and on June 13, 1864, he was Capt. of Company E., 2nd Artillery, Missouri Volunteers. On Dec. 18, 1865, he bought from William H. Smith 320 acres in Crawford County,



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Missouri. Then on 5-2-1883 Edward and his wife sold to the Sligo Furnace Co. the E 1/2 of SE 1/4 of Section 24 Township 56 Range 4 West in Crawford County near New Argo, Missouri.

6 K. WILLIAM ROWLAND

William was a son of Archibald L., Sr., and Susannah (Crawford) Rowland and yet less is known about him. On August 8, 1851, he took out a land patent to the N 1/2 of Lot 1 of SW 1/4 Section 7 Township 41 Range 1 West of 40 acres near where Archibald L. had property in Washington County. He died then on 6-3-1852 possibly leaving no heirs.

7. BETSY (ROLAND) CRAWFORD

Betsy was the daughter of Jessie, Sr., and Sarah (Simpson) Roland from North Carolina. She married on 8-15-1808 in Warren County, Kentucky, to Michael Crawford the brother to Susannah Crawford and Margaret Crawford that married two of her brothers, Archibald and John. Michael's father was John. Betsy was under age at the time of her marriage so Jessie gave his permission. They moved into Missouri and settled in Randolph County, probably with John. Michael's will dated 2-18-1833 in Randolph County named John Roland guardian of his three children: JOHN, J. B. ASHLEY, and WILLIAM. The will was probated 8-17-1835.



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SOME EARLY SETTLERS of NINETY-SIX DISTRICT, SOUTH CAROLINA

The western part of South Carolina was originally called Grandville County and afterwards Ninety-Six District, and was coextensive with Prince William Parish. Later in 1785, Ninety-Six District was divided into the districts of Abbeyville, Edgefield, Laurens, Newberry, Spartanburg, and Union. Since 1868 these districts have been termed counties. Abbeyville District consisted of the extensive settlement known far and wide as Long Canes. The Reverent George Howe, in his "History of the Presbyterian Church in South Carolina," says that "with the exception of two families, namely Gowdy and Edwards, the first settlement in this section was made in February, 1756, by about eight families of Presbyterians who migrated from Pennsylvania to the upper parts of Virginia and North Carolina and thence to this place; this was known as the Calhoun Settlement, owing to the fact that Patrick Calhoun was its leader and most of the others were relatives of his; by 1760 the number of families had increased to between twenty and thirty; in February of that year, just four years after the original settlement, there occurred the dreadful massacre of these settlers at Patterson's Bridge on Long Cane Creek by the Cherokee Indians, when some fifty persons, mostly women and children, were slain. Several members of the Calhoun and Clark families were killed, others escaped. Survivors of this tragic affair scattered to other communities. Later, however, with courage restored, several of them returned to the section because it seemed to promise a rich reward to the planter. After the massacre the records show many tracts of land were granted to settlers. The Clark family were heavy holders of land among others.

The period of the Revolutionary War leaves a gap in the records of Land Grants in South Carolina. "At this period of deep gloom hung over the cause of American Independence," says Ramsey, "and the confidence of its most steadfast friends was shaken. The reduction of Savannah, the capitulation of Charleston and the loss of the entire Army under General Lincoln had depressed the hopes of the patriot whigs and the subsequent career of British conquest and subjugation of Georgia and South Carolina existed serious apprehension and alarm for the eventual success of the American cause."

Lord Cornwallis in a report to his home government, August 20, 1780, mentioned the District Ninety-Six as being "by far the most populous and powerful of the province," and from that time for nearly two years the county seat, Ninety-Six, or Fort Cambridge, as it was also known, was in possession of the British. Finally, the tide turned and the British surrendered. With the war at an end and independence gained the settlers of Ninety-Six set about cultivating their plantations, adding to their holdings of land, educating their children, and in general, following peace. Families of this story that were located in Abbeyville area were Clarks, Cofers, Hearsts, and Whitmires.

In the northern portion of the old Ninety-Six District the Newberry District was later formed. It was in this area that the Whitmires migrated from when moving into Missouri. The town of Whitmire, North Carolina, gets its beginning then.



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In presenting a history of the Whitmires, the following is part of an interesting sketch written by Mrs. Ann E. Lewis, of that town in 1938:

"Whitmire owes its early beginning to the fact that near where the town now stands the old Buncombe road from Buncombe County, North Carolina, crossed the Ninety-Six road which led from Fishdam Ferry on Broad River across the country to the old Starr Fort at Ninety-Six. As early as Revolutionary days George Fredrick Whitmire, a German emigrant coming to Carolina from Pennsylvania, built his log cabin home and soon afterwards a trading post at this cross roads, which from then until now has been called after his name. That the town is today a prosperous and thriving community is due to the facts that in 1890 the Georgia-Carolina and Northern Railroad, now the Seaboard Airline, was built through this section; and some ten years later a cotton mill was built by the late William Coleman."

The first settler in this section of the country, according to Robert Mills, was a Mr. John Duncan, native of Aberdeen, Scotland, who came here in 1752 from Pennsylvania and settled on the creek that now bears his name. His nearest neighbor was Jacob Pennington who lived on Enroe River, and was the only man at this time who had either negro, wagon or still in this part of the world."

"Following Braddock's defeat in 1756 a number of emigrants from Pennsylvania came to this place seeking homes and farms safe from the French and Indian menace of the Pennsylvania frontier. The names of some of these first settlers were McCreary, Green, Hannah, Abernathy, Miller, Beard, King, Mitchell, Wells, Coffee, Grisham, Barton, Young, M'Clure, Adams, M'David, Prater, Bright, Barns, Oglesby, Hoskins, and Holstein. In this immediate vicinity the earliest settlers were the Whitmires, Duncans, O'Dells, and Ducketts. It must be remembered that in those early days homes were far apart, and today little remains to show their locations."

"Just outside the incorporate limits of Whitmire, are still standing the early home of the Whitmires and across from it the trading post that served also as post office for a wide area during the days of stage coach. If these old buildings could tell their story of the scenes they have witnessed it would be interesting indeed. Facing the old Ninety-Six road, they witnessed the passing of General Greene's soldiers hurrying to the defense of old Starr Fort at Ninety-Six."

"Down the old Buncombe road came the mountaineer traders, driving their turkeys and rolling their hogsheads of tobacco to Charleston, returning with salt and sugar and tinware, and stopping to tell their stories."

"According to the Annals of Newberry this section was sorely afflicted by opposite political factions, from which spring the bitterest strife. Neighbor was arrayed against neighbor, until the excess into which they were led as truly shocking to every sentiment of humanity. And gruesome accounts of Tory outrages followed by Whig vengeance tell of the execution of several Tories on the gallows at the cross roads near the residence of Mrs. Henry Whitmire, and thus received in part a just penalty for this and other crimes committed."

"On another occasion, eleven or twelve Tories who had attempted the life of a neighbor, Captain Boyce, were run down and captured on the banks of Enroe River near the mouth of Duncan's creek."



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"They were conveyed," the Annals relate, "to the place where the Charleston road crosses the Ninety-Six road, now Whitmire, and there a 'short shift', a strong rope, and a stopping hickory applied speedy justice to them all. A common grave at the foot of the tree is their resting place for all time."

Little has been recorded of the life of the country-side during the period following the Revolution and the succeeding years. Large families were reared and the sons and daughters married and moved away, many to other parts of this state and a large number also joined in the general westward movement."

"About 1820 Mt. Tabor Methodist church was built on a site about four miles south of Whitmire. The Lower Duncan's Creek church had been organized earlier in 1787, and in the cemeteries around these two old church-sites are to be found many interesting old graves."

"Among the ones above mentioned others lived in or near these centers. In the Enroe and Duncan Creek settlements, including the settlements on Indian, Gilders, and Kings Creek, lived the Sims, Epps, Hills, Hattons, Fords, Powells, etc. Some were Baptists, Presbyterians, or Methodists. A Baptist settlement from the borders of the Enroe and Duncan Creek settlements south toward the Saluda River included such families as the Grays, Coles, Crows, Stewarts, etc. Another Baptist settlement occupying the fork between Little River and the Saluda River held the homes of Hills, Smiths, Wallaces, Turners, and Moores, etc. The Quaker settlement was mainly on the Palmetto Branch north of the Brush River. The Chapmans, Martins, Nances, Hays, Cates, etc. made up this group that were known as the "Dunkers -- Dunkards" because of their practice of baptism by immersion.

From these families named and some not named an immigration train was formed of fifteen names that then moved by ox carts through the Cumberland Gap into Tennessee, then still claimed by North Carolina, and Kentucky, finally crossing the Missouri River south of St. Louis. It is reported the leader of this immigration was Col. Moses Whitmire, an officer of the War of 1812. They must have taken a long time stopping here and there along the way. Several children were born enroute as much as a year apart. Upon arriving at Potasi, Missouri, the oldest town in Missouri started by the Spanish when they claimed the land and settled this area because of its rich minerals, they met Daniel Boone, a relative of several in the train. Daniel told them that three days drive from there by ox cart he would take them to the prettiest place they had ever seen. Thus he let them to the Merrimac River near the famous Merrimac Caves. Those in the train were Clark, Hill, Anderson, Reid, Harrington, Enloe, Smith, Collins, Phillips, Williamson, Luke, Caldwell, Burchfield, Hearst, and Whitmire. They settled in 1818 or 19 on the bend of the Merrimac River at Brush Creek and took in much of the lower portion of what is now Franklin County. Because there were more Whitmires among them than any other name the large area became known as the Whitmire Settlement. Numerous small towns later came into being and they were built or developed by these people and their offspring. These people we would call squatters today in that they used the land until a homestead act was passed.

Many of the next generations moved on to California when gold was discovered. Several went into other frontier areas as land became precious and limited in their country.



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The Civil War then tore friend and family apart, some serving on one side and relatives and friends on the other. But after the War all returned to become a part of their own communities again. A great flood on the Merrimac River was the cause for many to move on to other frontiers. The railroad coming up the ridge through the settlements created a new and better economy for many but was also a means for some to move on. Today there are descendants of these first pioneers that are still living in the area. Until World War II a camp meeting was held on the corner of Whitmire property where Brush Creek enters into the Merrimac River in commemoration of the original three-weeks long camp meeting held for worshipping God. This was the oldest such camp meeting in Missouri, having started with the original emigration. On the site, the Whitmire Cemetery lies with history in its bounds. Recently the Whitmire Cemetery was cleaned of brush and a number of trees by Ken Middleton, an archeologist, and several others. He has located some 396 graves to date with only a few having readable headstones. A fence was erected around the area to continue its maintenance and protection. Grave markers found in the cemetery tell the tale of many children having died. It is very likely that pestilence and the hardships of the frontier took their toll heavily among the youth and not many lived to old age. In 1849 cholera struck St. Louis and this may have found its way up the valley to the Whitmire Settlement. A rejuvenation of the Whitmire Cemetery and Campground Organization was held in August, 1976, and officers were elected, many the names were of those who originally pioneered the land. Throughout the Southern half of Franklin County there are numerous such family cemetery plots, some still maintained and used, others not. What a story they could tell if they could only talk!



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WILLIAM T. WHITMIRE----- Sarah Hill	NATHANIEL WHITMIRE Edna Andrews
RACHEL WHITMIRE	CHARITY WHITMIRE Jacob Casey
CHRISTOPHER WHITMIRE Sara Shettlesworth	JESSEE WHITMIRE Mary Bobo
	RUTH WHITMIRE Miller
	JOSEPH HILL WHITMIRE Mary Blackburn
	HENRY WHITMIRE Francis Shell
	JACKSON WHITMIRE Mary Ferguson
	THOMAS WHITMIRE
	THOMAS WHITMIRE (1) Mary Evans
	WILLIAM J. WHITMIRE Catherine Sheeler
	SARA WHITMIRE James Evans
	PHEBE WHITMIRE Jacob Clark
HENRY WHITMIRE----- Ruth Hill	MOSES WHITMIRE (2) Phebe Whitmire
	DRUCILLA WHITMIRE Randolph Walker Apperson
	JOHN WHITMIRE (2) Louisa M. Johnson
GEORGE FREDRICK WHITMIRE---- Sarah Phebe Hagood	FRED WHITMIRE Matilda Crow
	HENRY WHITMIRE Mary
	CHRISTOPHER WHITMIRE Katherine French
	NATHANIEL WHITMIRE (1) Elizabeth Clark
THOMAS WHITMIRE----- Elizabeth Hill	WILLIAM WHITMIRE
	JOHN HILL WHITMIRE Elizabeth Williams
	MARGARET WHITMIRE William Thurmond
JOHN FRANKLIN WHITMIRE Salley Tiger	PHOEBE WHITMIRE Moses Whitmire
	POLLY WHITMIRE John Auxer
	PHOEBE UNITY WHITMIRE
	JOHN WHITMIRE
	ISAAC E. WHITMIRE
	CHARITY ANN WHITMIRE Thomas Lawford Cofer
MOSES WHITMIRE----- Elizabeth Evans	MARTHA CAROLINE WHITMIRE Issac Evans
	SARAH WHITMIRE
CHARITY WHITMIRE	RUTH WHITMIRE Thomas T. Woodcock
	MARY WHITMIRE Henry Whitmire
	WALTER HENRY WHITMIRE



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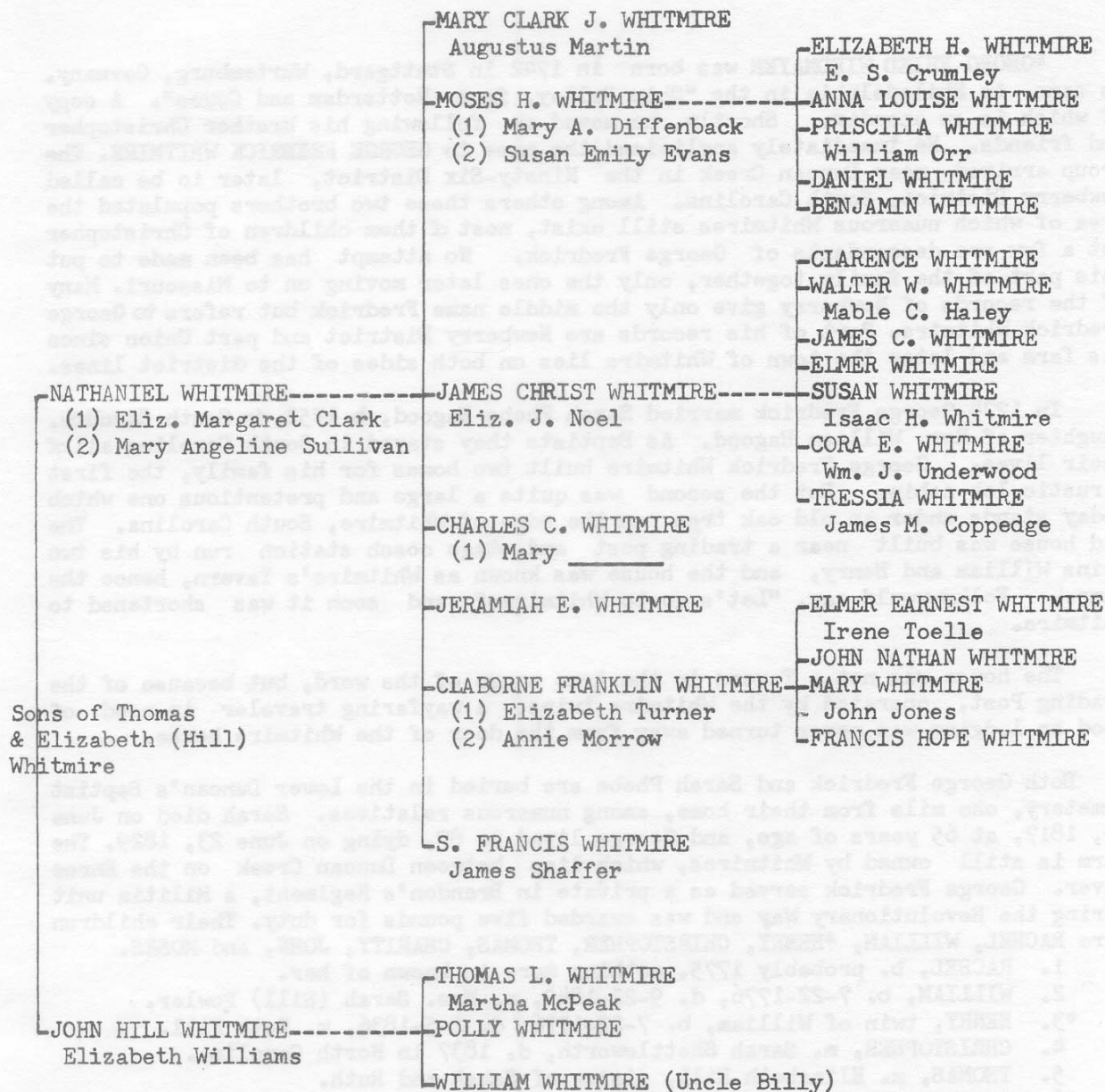
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	Mary Whitmire	
	THOMAS SIMPSON WHITMIRE	FREDRICK WHITMIRE
	MARTHA ANN WHITMIRE	ETHEL DORTHY WHITMIRE
	George Phillips	MARION WHITMIRE
THOMAS WHITMIRE-----	AUSTIN WILLIAM WHITMIRE-----	HAZEL WHITMIRE
(1) Mary Evans	Anne Graeme	WILLIAM WHITMIRE
(2) Mary Collins	SUSAN DRUCILLA WHITMIRE	
(3) Agnes Phillips	Benj. Johnson Clark	
	JACOB WHITMIRE	
	JOSEPH WHITMIRE	
	NANCY WHITMIRE	
WILLIAM J. WHITMIRE-----	Josiah Bonner	
Catherine Wheeler	SUSAN WHITMIRE	
	CAROLINE WHITMIRE	
	HENRY WHITMIRE-----	ISAAC H. WHITMIRE
	Sarah M. _____	Susan A. Whitmire
	NANCY WHITMIRE	
	MARY A. WHITMIRE	
	Isaac E. Woodcock	
	PHOEBE WHITMIRE	NORA WHITMIRE
	JOHN F. WHITMIRE-----	HATTIE WHITMIRE
	Lucy Giard	
MOSES WHITMIRE-----	SARA L. WHITMIRE	MARGARET ELIZ. WHITMIRE
(1) Nancy Wheeler	James K. McCulloch	Alber Farrar
(2) Phoebe Whitmire	THOMAS D. WHITMIRE	BIRDIE ELLSWORTH WHITMIRE
(3) Margaret Jones	LOUISA I. WHITMIRE	ALAN MONROE WHITMIRE
	John J. Reed	Jenny Anderson
	AUSTIN RANDOLPH WHITMIRE-----	WILLIAM LEROY WHITMIRE
	Mary Ellen Reed	Florence Roussin
		IVY ROSALIE WHITMIRE
		MARNIE IRENE WHITMIRE
	ELIZABETH WHITMIRE	
Sons of Henry & Ruth (Hill) Whitmire	ANVIL BURREL WHITMIRE-----	DRUCILLA WHITMIRE
	Mary E. Anderson	Jim H. Brandt
		WILLIAM MOSES WHITMIRE
		Edith McCrary
	ANN ELIZABETH WHITMIRE	MARGARET WHITMIRE
	Frank Bennett	Walter Brandt
	MARY E. WHITMIRE	THOMAS DEWEY WHITMIRE
	Ashley Whitley	Elizabeth Bender
JOHN WHITMIRE-----	PHEBE A. WHITMIRE	EDWIN WHITMIRE
(1) Martha Jane Peters	JACOB CLARK WHITMIRE-----	JOHN THOMAS WHITMIRE
(2) Louisa M. Johnson	Clara Gouge	
	LURA CELESTE WHITMIRE	
	Grills Elliot Rowland	
	L. KATHERINE WHITMIRE	
	J. C. Vaden	
	JOHN T. WHITMIRE	
	DRUCILLA J. WHITMIRE	
	PHOEBE CAROLINE WHITMIRE	
	Carrol McAllister	
HENRY WHITMIRE-----	JACOB H. WHITMIRE	
May _____	Addie S. Steele	
	MARY DRUCILLA WHITMIRE	
	Henry Anderson	
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WHITMIRES

*GEORG FRIED WIEDMAYER was born in 1742 in Stuttgart, Wurtemberg, Germany. He came to Philadelphia in the "Ship Salley, from Rotterdam and Cowes". A copy of which is an appendix. Shortly, he moved on following his brother Christopher and friends. He immediately anglicized the name to GEORGE FREDRICK WHITMIRE. The group arrived near Duncan Creek in the Ninety-Six District, later to be called Newberry District, South Carolina. Among others these two brothers populated the area of which numerous Whitmires still exist, most of them children of Christopher but a few are descendents of George Fredrick. No attempt has been made to put this part of the family together, only the ones later moving on to Missouri. Many of the records of Newberry give only the middle name Fredrick but refers to George Fredrick Whitmire. Part of his records are Newberry District and part Union since his farm and later the town of Whitmire lies on both sides of the district lines.

In 1774 George Fredrick married Sarah Phebe Hagood, b 1752, in South Carolina, daughter of Rev. William Hagood. As Baptists they stayed in South Carolina all of their lives. George Fredrick Whitmire built two homes for his family, the first a rustic log cabin. But the second was quite a large and pretentious one which today stands under an old oak tree on the edge of Whitmire, South Carolina. The old house was built near a trading post and stage coach station run by his two twins William and Henry, and the house was known as Whitmire's Tavern, hence the name. Folks would say, "Let's go to Whitmires" and soon it was shortened to Whitmire.

The house was not a Tavern in the true sense of the word, but because of the Trading Post, operated by the Whitmire twins, a wayfaring traveler in need of food or lodging was never turned away from the door of the Whitmire house.

Both George Fredrick and Sarah Phebe are buried in the Lower Duncan's Baptist Cemetery, one mile from their home, among numerous relatives. Sarah died on June 13, 1817, at 65 years of age, and George lived to 87, dying on June 23, 1829. The farm is still owned by Whitmires, which lies between Duncan Creek on the Enroe River. George Fredrick served as a private in Brandon's Regiment, a Militia unit during the Revolutionary War and was awarded five pounds for duty. Their children were RACHEL, WILLIAM, *HENRY, CHRISTOPHER, THOMAS, CHARITY, JOHN, and MOSES.

1. RACHEL, b. probably 1775, nothing more is known of her.
2. WILLIAM, b. 7-22-1776, d. 9-22-1840, m. Mrs. Sarah (Hill) Fowler.
- *3. HENRY, twin of William, b. 7-22-1776, d. 2-5-1836, m. Ruth Hill.
4. CHRISTOPHER, m. Sarah Shettleworth, d. 1837 in North Carolina.
5. THOMAS, m. Elizabeth Hill, sister of Sarah and Ruth.
6. CHARITY, nothing is known about her.
7. JOHN, m. Salley Tiger.
8. MOSES, b. 8-25-1789, m. Elizabeth Evans, d. 12-25-1826.



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2. WILLIAM WHITMIRE

William was born July 22, 1776, of George Fredrick and Sarah Phebe (Hagood) Whitmire in Newberry District, South Carolina. In 1800 he was located in Pendleton County, South Carolina, with only his wife Sarah Hill, b 1773, widow of Nathan Fowler and daughter of Henry and Alice (Ridgely) Hill. This family and all the children remained in South Carolina with Sarah dying 2-21-1838 at 63 and William, 9-22-1840 at 64. Both are buried in Lower Duncan's Baptist Cemetery in Newberry County. Their children were NATHAN, CHARITY, JESSE, RUTH, JOSEPH HILL, HENRY, JACKSON, and THOMAS.

- A. NATHAN, m. Edna Andrews.
- B. CHARITY, b. Jacob Casey, son of General Levi Casey, an officer of the Revolutionary War who died 2-1-1807 in Washington, D.C., while serving as a member of Congress from South Carolina.
- C. JESSE, m. Mary Bobo.
- D. RUTH, m. Mr. Miller.
- E. JOSEPH HILL, m. Mary Blackburn.
- F. HENRY, b. 2-4-1811, m. Francis Shell, d. 7-29-1822, br. in Lower Duncan Baptist Cemetery.
- G. JACKSON, m. Mary Ferguson.
- H. THOMAS, b. 9-21-1812, remained single, d. 10-2-1889, br. Lower Duncan's Baptist Cemetery.

2 F. HENRY WHITMIRE

Henry was the son of William and Sarah (Hill) Whitmire, born 2-4-1811 in Newberry District, South Carolina. He married Francis Shell and they remained in Newberry District all their lives. One of their daughters SALLY married David Phifer and their daughter MARTHA (Miss Hattie) married Zack H. Suber, Sr. The Subers then had eight children and among these was ZACK SUBER, JR., who married Leila Trotti and they had two children LANA, who married a Wagner, and ZACK, III. In 1974 Jack, Jr., and Leila were living on the old George Fredrick Home place yet. In 1843 Henry Whitmire and John Senis were active members of Mt. Tabor Methodist Church, established in 1820. Also, in 1843 a new building was erected on five acres of land given for that purpose by Alan Shell and Nathan Whitmire, the brother of Henry. The Whitmire, South Carolina, Post Office was established in July, 1852, with Henry Whitmire the first Postmaster. Henry's brother Thomas had the polling place either in his home or a business location in 1859. On June 12, 1841, the first Baptist Church of Whitmire began with a Fredrick and John H. Whitmire ordained as deacons in which office they served for twenty-five years. The relationship of these two to Henry is unknown but no doubt are cousins but sons of whom is unknown at this time. Numerous other Whitmires lived in that area for many years and some may still be there.

*3. HENRY WHITMIRE

*HENRY was a twin to William, born 7-22-1776, in Newberry District, South Carolina, to George Fredrick and Sarah Phebe (Hagood) Whitmire. He married Ruth



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Hill, b. 1-1-1785, no doubt in Ninety-Six District, South Carolina, daughter of Henry and Alice (Ridgely) Hill, and sister to Sarah and Elizabeth who married two of Henry's brothers. Henry and William had the Trading Post and Stage Coach Station in Newberry District where Whitmire, South Carolina, now stands. Henry was one of the prominent families that made the migration and settled in the Whitmire Settlement in Missouri. In 2-18-1825 Henry took out a land patent on N 1/2 NE 1/4 of Section 28 Township 41 Range 1 West for 94.96 acres in Franklin County, Missouri, which remained in the family for years after their deaths. He also sold some land in Section 35 Township 40 Range 2 West to John Hyde on 8-5-1833 that he had purchased from the U. S. Government. His will was proved 2-19-1836 by his wife Ruth and son Thomas as administrators. Henry had a beautiful hand as witnessed by the entries in the family Bible I was able to find. Copies of some pages are to be found in the Appendixes. It is in the hands of Mrs. Charles Armistead of Mineral Point, Missouri. However, Ruth could not sign her name which is indicated by her "X" on all documents. Henry died on 2-5-1836 at 60 years of age and is probably buried in the Whitmire Cemetery under only an unmarked stone turned upright. They were apparently Cumberland Presbyterians by faith since Rev. Jacob Clark was the minister of the family and community. Ruth continued to raise the childing, having three still with her in 1840. She died on 10-28-1843 at 58 and also is probably buried in the family cemetery which is less than one-half mile from the farm they owned. Their children were THOMAS, WILLIAM J., SARAH, PHEBE, MOSES, DRUCILLA, *JOHN, FREDRICK, and HENRY. Some were born in South Carolina, one on the way in Kentucky, and the last two in Missouri and Tennessee.

- A. THOMAS, b. 12-12-1804, m (1) Mary Evans, (2) Mary Collins, (3) Mrs. Agnes Phillips, d. 2-6-1866.
- B. WILLIAM J., b. 5-16-1807, m. Catherine Wheeler, d. 2-9-1847.
- C. SARAH, b. 5-21-1809, m. 10-11-1827 James Evans.
- D. PHEBE, b. 7-11-1811, m. Rev. Jacob Clark.
- E. MOSES, b. 3-31-1814, m. (1) Miss Wheeler, (2) Phoebe Whitmire, (3) Margaret Jones.
- F. DRUCILLA, b. 10-24-1816, m. 1-28-1841 Randolph Walter Apperson, d. 1-22-1904.
- *G. JOHN, b. 12-21-1817 in Kentucky, m. (1) Martha Jane Peters, (2) *Louisa M. Johnson, d. 10-26-1865.
- H. FREDRICK, b. 4-11-1822 in Missouri, m. Matilda Crow, d. 2-15-1855.
- I. HENRY, b. 7-4-1826 in Tennessee, m. Mary.

3 A. THOMAS WHITMIRE

Thomas was born 12-12-1804 in Newberry District, South Carolina, of Henry and Ruth (Hill) Whitmire. He had three wives, two children by his first wife Mary Evans, probably a sister to James Evans that married Thomas' sister Sarah: they were HENRY and THOMAS SIMPSON, born in 1828 and 1829. He then married Mary Collins 4-28-1833 who bore him five children: MARTHA ANN, AUSTIN WILLIAM, SUSAN DRUCILLA, JACOB F., and JOSEPH. Mary Collins was the daughter of Jacob and Martha (Wheat) Collins of South Carolina. Her brothers and sisters and their wives were: Elizabeth Collins, d. 4-3-1861, m (1) William G. Hearst, (2) Judge Funk; Joseph Collins, m. (1) Mary Wright, (2) unknown; Lewis Collins, m. Jane Ramsey; Malinda Collins, m. unknown; Anne Collins, m. Austin Clark; and William Collins, m. Lucinda Yoakum.



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Thomas had married Mrs. Agnes Phillips, b. 1805, by 1850 according to the census and then her name appears thereafter on all land transactions. Thomas was the administrator to his father's will in 1836. Also in that same year he was a witness to the will of his uncle Colonel Moses Whitmire. Thomas became quite a property owner, owning lands in Sections 16, 20, 21, 22, 24, and 28 Township 41 Range 1 West and Section 11 Township 40 Range 2 West beginning in 1832. In 1852 Thomas and Agnes sold to Jacob Clark 95.6 acres in the original settlement reserving 4 acres for the cemetery and meeting place. In 1854 he bought his brother John's property and sold him some of his. At the time he lived in Gasconade County, Missouri. On December 5, 1865, he sold with Agnes, part of his property, probably the last. She could not sign her name. He died 2-6-1866 and is buried in the Whitmire Cemetery. The Whitmire clan were all part of the Cumberland Presbyterian faith that held camp meetings on the site of the Whitmire Cemetery.

- a. HENRY, b. 3-3-1828, m. 12-16-1852 his cousin Mary Whitmire, daughter of Moses Whitmire.
- b. THOMAS SIMPSON, b 10-15-1829, nothing more is known about him.
- c. MARTHA ANN, b. 1834, m. 12-25-1856 George Phillips in Franklin County, Missouri.
- d. AUSTIN WILLIAM, b. 1836, m. Anne Graeme.
- e. SUSAN DRUCILLA, b. 3-18-1840, m. Benjamin Johnson Clark, d. 12-13-1895.
- f. JACOB F. (JAKE), b 1843, never married, was a private, Co E 31 Mo. Inf. Union of Moselle, Missouri, moved to Deming, New Mexico, 1872.
- g. JOSEPH (JOE), b. 1845, never married. He was a Confederate soldier and moved to Deming, New Mexico in 1872. In 1902, Joe, Jake, and Austin returned for the first visit after 30 years absence from Missouri.

3 A a. HENRY WHITMIRE

Henry was born 3-3-1828 in South Carolina, probably on a return visit by his parents Thomas and Mary (Evans) Whitmire. He was married in Franklin County, Missouri, on 12-16-1852 to Mary Whitmire, b. 10-28-1830, daughter of his uncle Col. Moses Whitmire and Elizabeth Evans. Isaac Evans was present and is probably the father of Mary Evans and James Evans and brother of Elizabeth Evans. Mary Whitmire was a double first cousin to Henry. The Cumberland Presbyterian Church shows both of them as members in 1854 in Sullivan, Missouri. In 1884, Henry and Mary sold their interest in his father's farm to Charles Jones, probably the brother of his brother-in-law. Mary died early in life on 12-21-1868 at 38 and is buried in the Whitmire Cemetery. Their only daughter was AGNES, b. 1863 who died 10-2-1865 at 2 and is buried beside her mother. What then happened to Henry is unknown.

3 A d. AUSTIN WILLIAM WHITMIRE

Austin William was born in 1836 in Franklin County, Missouri, of Thomas and Mary (Collins) Whitmire, Thomas's second wife, and second child by her. He married Anne Graeme, then later moved to Deming, New Mexico, where his two brothers Jake



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and Joe settled, too. In 1902, he returned to Sullivan, Missouri, with them after at least 30 years absence. Their five children were FREDRICK, ETHEL DORTHY, MARION, HAZEL, and WILLIAM. Nothing is known about them except that Marion and Hazel settled in San Jose, California, and possibly the others did also.

3 A e. SUSAN DRUCILLA (WHITMIRE) CLARK

Susan Drucilla was born in Franklin County, Missouri, on 3-18-1840, of Thomas and Mary (Collins) Whitmire. She married Benjamin Johnson Clark as his third wife. He was the son of John, b. 1804, Abbeyville, South Carolina, d. 1846, and Nancy Jane (Kimberling) Clark, b 1811, the son of Jacob the second, the son of Jacob of Abbeyville, South Carolina. His first wife that he married on 10-1-1856 was Louise Melvin by whom he had no children. His second marriage on 2-17-1859 was to Susan Sullivan, the daughter of Stephen Sullivan, the founder of Sullivan, Missouri. Susan Sullivan bore him one child JOHN HENRY CLARK who married first Etta Alcorn and second Louisa Blanton. His third wife SUSAN DRUCILLA WHITMIRE, that he married on 4-22-1866, bore three children: LOUISA SYBIL CLARK, b. 1871, who married John R. Craig; JOSEPH HENRY CLARK, b. 1867, who married Rosalie Bell Marsh; and SUSAN MARY CLARK, b. 1875, who married David C. Anderson, b. 1877 of Henry and Elizabeth Anderson of Stanton, Missouri. Susan Mary Clark taught school in Sullivan, then they moved to Dayton, Ohio. Benjamin Johnson Clark fought on the Union side of the Civil War. He died 5-24-1913 in Franklin County. Susan Drucilla predeceased him on 12-13-1895 in Crawford County and is buried in the Crow Cemetery, Franklin County.

3 B. WILLIAM J. WHITMIRE

William J., son of Henry and Ruth (Hill) Whitmire, was born 5-16-1807, in Newberry District, South Carolina, moving to Missouri as a boy with his parents. He was married by Jacob Clark in Franklin County, Missouri, to Catherine Wheeler on 2-15-1839. According to the 1840 census he had one daughter born that year, then in 1850 he was gone and Catherine had two daughters born in 1840 living with her father Malcom Wheeler in Merrimac Township, Franklin County, Missouri. Malcom Wheeler was born 1796 in Virginia and died 2-4-1881 at 85 years 6 months of age being buried in the Whitmire Cemetery. His wife Lavigna was also born in Virginia in 1798. The Wheeler children, Catherine's brothers and sisters were: Henry B., b. 1826 in Missouri, a school teacher, d. 9-15-1876, br. in Whitmire Cemetery; Matilda, b. 1831; William, b. 1834; Caroline, b. 1836; Stephen Lane, b. 1839; Nancy m. Moses Whitmire; and, of course, Catherine m William J. Whitmire. William J. died on 2-9-1847. The children of William J. and Catherine were probably born the first and last part of 1840: NANCY and SUSAN.

a. NANCY C., b. 1840, m. 1-29-1865 Josian Bonner.

b. SUSAN, b. 1840, was not with Malcom Wheeler and her mother in 1860 census.



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3 C. SARAH (WHITMIRE) EVANS

Sarah (Sally) Whitmire was born in Newberry District, South Carolina, on 3-2-1809, to Henry and Ruth (Hill) Whitmire. She married James Evans of Jefferson Co., Missouri, the brother of Mary Evans who married Sarah's brother Thomas. They were married on 10-11-1827 in Franklin County by Jeramiah Hayton. Little is known about them by the author. In 1871 they sold her portion of her father's farm with other members of the family. Their children were RUTH, SARA J., PHOEBE C., and THOMAS W.

3 D. PHOEBE (WHITMIRE) CLARK

Phoebe, born 8-11-1811, in Newberry District, South Carolina, was the daughter of Henry and Ruth (Hill) Whitmire. She married Rev. Jacob Clark, b. 5-5-1810 in Abbeyville, South Carolina, of Jacob, Jr., who was born 1774 and died in 1824. Rev. Jacob's mother was Mary Hearst who was born 1778 to Maj. John Hearst and Martha Carson. Maj. John's father and mother were John Hearst and Elizabeth Knox. Martha Carson's mother and father were William and Margaret Carson. Jacob Clark, Jr., was the son of Jacob Clark, Sr., b. 1745 and Ann Livingston, b. 1744. Rev. Jacob was 14 years old when his father died on a visit back to South Carolina so he lived with his eldest brother Austin. At some time he bought 440 acres along the Fremont Trail where he later built a mansion naming it Mt. Helicon. In this house he had the first post office of the area which was later moved and renamed Sullivan when the railroad came in. His son Austin Whitmire Clark was the first postmaster. Under great difficulty in the pioneer days Jacob pursued studies and became a minister of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church which he pursued the rest of his life while also buying much land and operating several businesses. He became the Associate Editor of the "Christian Observer and St. Louis Presbyterian". He was a man of medium size and erect with blue eyes and auburn hair, a strict disciplinarian but genial and kind. He had great energy in spite of much ill health, dying at the early age of 47 on 9-22-1857 in Mt. Helicon. His wife Phoebe survived him a few years and was a slight, delicate little woman with dark brown eyes and hair. He was buried in the Clark Cemetery in Sullivan as probably his wife Phoebe. He was the uncle of Benjamin Johnson Clark who married Susan Drucilla Whitmire, Phoebe's niece. Their children were JACOB, AUSTIN WHITMIRE, JAMES RENICK, HENRY BURROWS, THOMAS DAWSON, DRUCILLA JANE, MARY ELIZABETH, JOHN RANDOLPH, and ANVIL HARDY.

- a. JACOB CLARK, the fourth.
- b. AUSTIN WHITMIRE CLARK, b. 5-12-1832, d. 3-5-1886, m. 4-19-1855 Angeline Whitley (b. 1837, d. 1904). In 1850 and 51 he went to California and returned to Missouri. Thirty years later he returned to California and was run down by the train that was bringing his wife and five children to him. He had become blind in one eye which likely accounts for the accident.
- c. JAMES RENICK CLARK, b. 7-11-1834, m. 12-25-1856 Susan Cornelia Ellett (b. 8-20-1837 Franklin County, Missouri, d. 9-9-1923) the daughter of General Ellett, the son of Archer and Tabitha Ellett of Charlotte County, Virginia. Susan Cornelia's mother



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was Susan F. Barnes. James Renick went to California in 1850 and 51 with his brother, to return to Sullivan. He was an elder in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church for 50 years. They had seven children.

- d. HENRY BURROWS CLARK, b 2-14-1837, m 10-10-1866 Adaline Whitley, sister to Angeline who married his brother Austin. Henry was a leading merchant in Lebanon, Missouri, in spite of his crippled body caused by Infantile Paralysis. They had four children. He died on 7-29-1922 in Lebanon.
- e. THOMAS DAWSON CLARK, b. 5-4-1839, d. 5-9-1847.
- f. DRUCILLA JANE CLARK, b 11-4-1841, m 5-30-1865 Dr. Albert Lane, b. 8-16-1837 son of Fontaine H. and Virginia (Bridges) Lane of Fredricksburg, Virginia. After the Civil War his parents moved the family to Franklin County, Missouri. He was one of the two early doctors in Sullivan. He delivered many of the children including my mother's brothers and sisters. The local pharmacy was owned by him for many years. He was a tall, strong and active man dying 2-22-1921 at 84 years. Drucilla Jane was educated in St. Louis, bearing five children to Dr. Lane. She died 33 years earlier--on 12-24-1868 at 47 years.
- g. MARY ELIZABETH CLARK, b. 4-3-1844, d. 7-19-1848.
- h. JOHN RANDOLPH CLARK, b. 10-5-1846, d. 10-2-1847.
- i. ANVIL HARDY CLARK, b 4-4-1850, m (1) Ellen Burchfield who died in 1872, (2) Eva Ballentine Church on 12-20-1875 in Columbia, Missouri. She was b. 10-2-1854 in St. Louis and died 9-1-1897 in Lebanon, Missouri. Anvil was in business with his brother Henry in Lebanon and died there on 2-5-1913. Anvil and Ellen had six children, four of which died young.

3 E. MOSES WHITMIRE

Moses was born on 3-31-1814 in Newberry District, South Carolina, to Henry and Ruth (Hill) Whitmire. He had three wives, the first Nancy Wheeler to whom he was married 11-30-1832 by Rev. Jacob Clark. She was a sister to Catherine who married Moses' brother William J., daughter of Malcom Wheeler. She gave Moses six children: CAROLINE, HENRY, NANCY, MARY A., PHOEBE, and JOHN F. His second wife, Phoebe Whitmire, daughter of his uncle Thomas Whitmire, lived only a short while, giving him a daughter ELIZABETH who died possibly at child birth. He married Margaret Jones before the census in 1850. Her parents were born in Tennessee and Virginia and she in Tennessee in 1826. In 1850 a Thomas J. Jones, 19 years old, living with them, probably a brother of Margaret. They made their home in Texas for a year or two about 1861, then returned to Franklin County, Missouri, where they remained. Moses was dead by the time of the 1870 census and only the last two boys still lived with their mother then. The family was Presbyterian as most of the Whitmires. Moses and Margaret had five more children: SARAH L., THOMAS M., LOUISA I., AUSTIN RANDOLPH, and ANVIL BURREL.

- a. CAROLINE, b. 1834, nothing more is known.
- b. HENRY, b. 1837, m. Sarah M.
- c. NANCY, b. 1840.



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- d. MARY A., b. 1844 or 46, m. Isaac E. Woodcock.
- e. PHOEBE, b. 1848.
- f. JOHN F., b. 1848, m. 11-27-1873 Mary Lucy Giard.
- g. ELIZABETH, d. in infancy.
- h. SARAHIL,, b. 1852, m. 12-27-1871 Mr. James K. McCulloch.
- i. THOMAS D., b. 1854, never married, moved to Utah and died young.
- j. LOUISA I., b. 1858, m. 3-11-1879 in Franklin County, to John J. Reed.
- k. AUSTIN RANDOLPH, b. 1861, m. 1-17-1889 Mary Ellen Reed.
- l. ANVIL BURREL, b. 1862, m. Diney E. Anderson.

3 E b. HENRY WHITMIRE

Henry was the first son of Moses and Nancy (Wheeler) Whitmire, born in 1837 in Franklin County, Missouri. He married a young lady by the name of Sara M. He sold his inheritance to John Willis in Section 21 Township 41 Range 1 West. He lived in Dent County, Missouri, and nothing more is known of him, except that an ISAAC H. WHITMIRE came from Salem, Dent County, Missouri, on 9-2-1896 and married Susan (Susie) A. Whitmire, daughter of James Christ Whitmire in Steelville. Probably Isaac was Henry's son.

3 E d. MARY A. (WHITMIRE) WOODCOCK

Mary A. was the third daughter of Moses and Nancy (Wheeler) Whitmire, born in 1844. Some records say 1846. She married Isaac E. Woodcock and must not have lived long because in the 1870 census Isaac had a wife named Jane. Later he married again Saloma Wood, b 3-17-1849, and d 5-17-1927. Saloma and Isaac E. Woodcock are buried together in the Anaconda Cemetery. He died on 2-10-1926 and was born 3-14-1847. He was a Mason.

3 E f. JOHN F. WHITMIRE

John F. was the son of Moses and Nancy (Wheeler) Whitmire, born in 1848, probably a twin to Phoebe. Shortly after this his mother died and his father married his cousin Phoebe Whitmire who was raising the family of Moses. After her first child ELIZABETH she died, leaving Moses with a family of six to raise. He remarried for the third time Margaret Jones who increased the family by five more and raised all of the children of Moses. John F. married Mary Lucy Giard on 11-27-1873 in Franklin County. She was born in 1854 in Missouri, the daughter of William and Francis (Thurmond) Giard who were married July 6, 1848, in Franklin County. William Giard was born during 1826 in Kentucky and Francis Thurmond was born on 2-14-1822 and died 8-11-1868 being buried in the Whitmire Cemetery. In 1880 two of their children (Francis N. (Fannie) Giard, b. 1857 and John L. Giard, b. 1860) were living with John F. and Mary Lucy (Giard) Whitmire. This was in Prairie Township, Franklin County. In 1881 John F. bought the two Giard children's inheritance from them in Section 32 Township 41 Range 1 East which he later sold to



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William Thurmond. In 1883 John F. bought 40 acres in Section 29 Township 41 Range 1 East. Then in 1890 he bought 215 more acres in the same general area on or near Indian Creek. John F. was a member of the IOOF in Sullivan. His youngest daughter was married and her mother had to give permission since she was not of age. Their children were NORA, HATTIE, and MARY.

- (1) NORA, b. 1877.
- (2) HATTIE, b. after 1890, m. 4-25-1908 Walter Brandt by Sebastian Waley. She was under age and permission was given by her mother.
- (3) MARY, m 8-9-1908 Henry Schallenberg of Mt. Home in Union, Missouri.

3 E h. SARAH L. (WHITMIRE) McCULLOCK

Sarah L., born in 1852, was the first child by Moses Whitmire and his third wife Margaret Jones, and his eighth child altogether. She married on 12-27-1871 James K. McCulloch. He is probably the son of George W. McCulloch and Unity who is buried in the Whitmire Cemetery with two of her sons. Unity was born 3-14-1814 living 50 years 3 months and 7 days. She died 6-21-1864. Benjamin F. McCulloch was born 1-29-1841 and died 7-27-1866. George T. McCulloch was born 1-26-1855 and died in 1865. What happened to Sarah L. and James K. McCulloch is unknown.

3 E j. LOUISA I. (WHITMIRE) REED

Louisa I. was another daughter of Moses and Margaret (Jones) Whitmire, being born in 1858. She married on 3-11-1879 John J. Reed who was born in 1863 to John S. and Caroline Reed who had at least 12 children: Henry, b. 1849; James, b. 1852; Charles, b. 1854; Alice F., b. 1855; Lucy E., b. 1858; Mary Ellen, b. 1859 and married Austin Randolph Whitmire; Catherine, b. 1861; John, b. 1863; Thomas, b. 1865; William C., b. 1868; George E., b. 1869. John S. Reed was probably the son of Nathan Reed, b. 1800 and Alice, b. 1802, who lived next door in 1870, two of Nathan's children, Margaret, b. 1840, and Jennie, b. 1842, were at home. Then next to them was Nathan Reed, Jr., b. 1853, with his wife Ellen, b. 1839. The Reed's had considerable value in 1870 and all those born before 1842 were born in Pennsylvania. The family of Louisa I. (Whitmire) and John J. Reed has not been located.

3 E k. AUSTIN RANDOLPH WHITMIRE

Austin Randolph was born in 1861 to Moses and Margaret (Jones) Whitmire in Texas just before the family returned to Franklin County, Missouri, where they were raised. He married Mary Ellen Reed of Reedville, Washington County, Missouri, on 1-17-1889. John Reed was her father and John J. her brother who married Austin Randolph's sister Louisa I. See Louisa I. (Whitmire) Reed for the Reed family tree. Between 1900 and 1907 Austin Randolph took his family into Oklahoma and



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lived, then returned to Reedville area and lived up and down Pea Ridge. Their home and farm in 1912 was by the Merrimac bridge south of Sullivan. Their six children were MARGARET ELIZABETH, BIRDIE ELLSWORTH, ALAN MONROE, WILLIAM LEROY, IVY ROSALIE, and MARNIE IRENE.

- (1) MARGARET ELIZABETH, b. 1889 Washington County, Missouri, m. 12-14-1911 Albert Farrar in Potasi, Missouri.
- (2) BIRDIE ELLSWORTH, b. 1890, never married. He lost his leg as a result of an injury and cancer at twelve years old.
- (3) ALAN MONROE, b. 1892, m. 3-8-1914 Mary Jenny Anderson.
- (4) WILLIAM LEROY, b 2-6-1894, m 10-28-1920 Florence Roussin.
- (5) IVY ROSALIE, b. 1896.
- (6) MARNIE IRENE, b. 1900, d. at childbirth.

3 E k (3) ALLEN MONROE WHITMIRE

Allen Monroe was born in 1892 in Washington County, Missouri, of Austin Randolph and Mary Ellen (Reed) Whitmire. He married Mary Jenny Anderson on 3-8-1914, daughter of S. M. Anderson, then served in the Navy in World War I. They made their home in Iowa, then Wisconsin, having several children, two of them boys.

3 E k (4) WILLIAM LEROY WHITMIRE

William Leroy was the son of Austin Randolph and Mary Ellen (Reed) Whitmire being born on 2-6-1894. He married Florence Roussin on 10-20-1920 of Morrelton, Missouri. During World War I he served in the Army. In 1975 he was living in the Old Soldier's Home at St. James, Missouri, where I talked to him about the Whitmires. His wife's cousin, Mrs. Madeline (Roussin) Warnhoff, south of Anaconda, was another native of the area that helped me piece together much of the story, particularly that about the Appersons and Hearsts. She had just recently sold the land my great-grandfather John Whitmire had homesteaded adjacent to the old school house where Phoebe Apperson Hearst went to school. It has now been made into a memorial museum. Florence (Roussin) Whitmire died in 1975 and is buried in Parkway Village, St. Clair, Missouri, where their home had been for many years. Their children were MARY LOUISE, AUDREY BERNICE, EVA ORETHA, and WILLIAM BRENT.

- (A) MARY LOUISE, b 1920 in Williams, Iowa, m Bob Earney and lives in St. Clair.
- (B) AUDREY BERNICE, b. 1922 in Williams, Iowa, m. Earl Linscott.
- (C) EVA ORETHA, b. 1922 in Anaconda, Missouri, m. D. Wallace.
- (D) WILLIAM BRENT, b. 1924 in Anaconda, Missouri, m two women, the first wife bore him five girls and two boys and the second bore another three girls. They have always been in Texas and little is known of them.



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3 E 1. ANVIL BURREL WHITMIRE

Anvil Burrel, born in 1862 to the family of Moses and Margaret (Jones) Whitmire, was the last son of Moses' twelve children by three wives. On 12-21-1883 he married Mary E. (Diney) Anderson in Franklin County. Elias Harrington performed the ceremony. She was born 9-21-1864 in Missouri. An Anderson (1835-1876) is buried in the Whitmire Cemetery and is probably her father. Anvil and Mary were Baptist and lived their lives in Merrimac Township of Franklin County. They both died in Sullivan, Missouri, and are buried in the Buffalo Cemetery, Anvil Burrel in 1907 and Mary E. in 1943. Their children were DRUCILLA (DRUSIE), WILLIAM MOSES (MODY), EDWIN, MARGARET (MAGGY), and THOMAS DEWEY.

- (1) DRUCILLA (DRUSIE), b. 1885, d. 1912, m. 8-29-1904 James H. Brandt.
- (2) WILLIAM MOSES (MODY), b. 1887, d. 1966, m. 9-23-1909 Edith McCrary.
- (3) EDWIN, b. ca 1889, lived three days.
- (4) MARGARET (MAGGIE), b. 1891, d. Aug., 1966, m. Walter Brandt, cousin of James H. Brandt.
- (5) THOMAS DEWEY, b 8-12-1899, m 6-12-1924 Elizabeth Bender.

3 E 1 (1) DRUCILLA (WHITMIRE) BRANDT

Drucilla or Drucie as she was known was born during 1885 in Franklin County, Missouri, to Anvil Burrel and Mary E. (Anderson) Whitmire. She married on 8-29-1904 James H. (Jim) Brandt and they had three children: VIRGIL who died at nine years of age, LILWIN, and MAUDE.

3 E 1 (2) WILLIAM MOSES (MODY) WHITMIRE

William Moses, known as Mody, was the first son of Anvil Burrel and Mary E. (Anderson) Whitmire, born in 1887. He was married by Jesse Owens, J. P., in Franklin County to Edith McCrary. Both of them are buried in Oak Grove Cemetery, Lonedell, Missouri, where they raised their family of three: WILLIAM CHESTER, BURREL NORMAN, and DORTHY JEWEL.

- (A) WILLIAM CHESTER, b. 7-3-1910, m. Georgia Virginia Lee. They have no children and are living in High Ridge, Missouri.
- (B) BURREL NORMAN, b. 2-5-1912, m. 3-23-1938 the widow Adath (Lowry) Brewer, b. Aug., 1912. They have raised her son Raymond Brewer but have no children of their own. Burrel N. was a Locomotive Engineer with the Railroad in St. Louis. For 25 years he was with the Union in several capacities, Local Chairman 327, General Chairman TRRA in Chicago, Vice President of International, and the First International President in Cleveland, Ohio. In 1976 he retired and returned to Lonedell, Missouri.



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- (C) DORTHY JEWEL, b 3-3-1914, m. ca 1937-38 John Budina, they live in Oveto, Florida, with no children.

3 E 1 (4) MARGARET (WHITMIRE) BRANDT

Margaret (Maggie) was born to Anvil Burrel and Mary E. (Anderson) Whitmire in Franklin County, Missouri, during 1891. She married Walter Brandt and raised five children in the San Bernadino, California, area where they all live today: GLADYS, JAMES, MINNIE, BERL, and HELEN. Margaret died in August, 1966.

- (A) GLADYS BRANDT, b. Marshal Leadbetter.
- (B) JAMES BRANDT, married, divorced and remarried, d. 1970.
- (C) MINNIE BRANDT, never married.
- (D) BERL BRANDT, m. Lucille.
- (E) HELEN BRANDT, m. Bill Tonns.

3 E 1 (5) THOMAS DEWEY WHITMIRE

Thomas Dewey was the last child of Anvil Burrel and Mary E. (Anderson) Whitmire born 8-12-1899. He married on 6-12-1924 Elizabeth Bender of St. Louis who was born 4-3-1905. They still live in the home in St. Louis in which she was raised. Thomas was registered for World War I but the war ended before his call. He has been a grocer, machinist, and now practicing the barber trade. He is a Mason of the Triangle Lodge, Number 638, and a Scottish Shriner. Their one daughter BERNADINE MARIE married Bernard Kuse.

3 E 1 (5)(A) BERNADINE MARIE (WHITMIRE) KUSE

Bernadine Marie was born to Thomas Dewey and Elizabeth (Bender) Whitmire on 3-23-1925 in St. Louis, Missouri. She married Bernard Kuse of Austin, Texas, on 10-6-1945 and they had two children: WAYNE CARL and DEBORAH MARIE. The family is Luthern and live in Glen Ellyn, Illinois.

- (a) WAYNE CARL KUSE, b. 1949, is a 1st Lt. in the Air Force and is single.
- (b) DEBORAH MARIE KUSE, b. 1955, m. 2-14-1976 Robert Richards.

3 F. DRUCILLA (WHITMIRE) APPERSON

Drucilla was born in Newberry District, South Carolina, on 9-24-1816 of Henry and Ruth (Hill) Whitmire. She was about two years old when her family, along with the other families of South Carolina, made the great migration to Missouri. On January 28, 1841, she was married by Rev. Jacob Clark to Randolph Walker



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Apperson, also a member of the original group, another prominent family in the move of Dr. John Apperson (a physician) and veteran of the Revolution. All of those families were strong Cumberland Presbyterians. In 1853 Drucilla and Randolph Apperson sold their share of Henry's estate to Jacob Clark. They must have owned several more parcels of land since some record of sales have been found. One of these was a ten acre tract of a 30 acre plot that was sold in 1863 to George Hearst, Senator of California, son-in-law, and member of the original Missouri migration. On this ten acres in Section 27 Township 41 Range 1 West stands about an acre cemetery known now as the Hearst Cemetery. In later years a concrete wall has been constructed around it. Within the cemetery no marked stones of any kind can be found but a number of the Hearst and Apperson families and others are known to be buried. The Appersons were poor people, probably raising four children: PHOEBE ELIZABETH, ELBERT CLARK, JENNIE, and BESSIE.

- a. PHOEBE ELIZABETH APPERSON, b. 12-2-1842, m. 6-15-1862 George Hearst.
- b. ELBERT CLARK APPERSON, b. 1-10-1851, m. Elizabeth Anne Sutherland.
- c. JENNIE APPERSON, may have been their child, was a beautiful woman reared in St. Louis.
- d. BESSIE APPERSON, also may have been their child, was a very fine musician, buried in Sullivan with no marker stone.

3 F a. PHOEBE ELIZABETH (APPERSON) HEARST

Phoebe Elizabeth was born 12-2-1842 in the Whitmire Settlement of Missouri of Randolph Walker and Drucilla (Whitmire) Apperson. She went to school in a one room school house about two miles south of Dry Branch, now called Anaconda, adjacent to my great-grandfather's home place. Today a replica of that school house has been dedicated as a museum in memory of her and her activities as cofounder of the Parent-Teacher Association. Phoebe was a noted school teacher in the Settlement, one of the places being Reedville. Her marriage on 6-15-1862 was to George Hearst, who was 22 years older than Phoebe and was objected to by her parents. George Hearst, b 9-3-1820, was the son of William G. and Elizabeth (Collins) Hearst, son of George Hearst, the fifth son of John Hearst that was the first settler of the name in Abbeyville, South Carolina, in 1766, who was the son of John Hearst of Isle of Wright County, Virginia, who died in 1727. The younger George had gone to California to the Gold Rush and made his fortune, then returned and married Phoebe Elizabeth. They later returned to California and he became a U. S. Senator from California, 1886-1891. As was her custom of taking care of numerous poor relations and providing educational opportunities to them, Phoebe Elizabeth attempted to adopt her cousin, my grandmother Lura Celeste Whitmire, when Lura Celeste's father died leaving a large family. However, this was not done but she did support Lura for the rest of her life after Lura's husband Grills Elliot Rowland died. Phoebe sent all of Grill's and Lura's children through college or academies, including my mother. The names of Lura's and Grill's children are named for these Appersons and Hearsts. Phoebe Elizabeth and George Hearst had one child WILLIAM RANDOLPH HEARST, the publisher, the father of RANDOLPH APPERSON HEARST (the father of Patricia Hearst) and four other sons.



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3 F b. ELBERT CLARK APPERSON

Elbert Clark was the son of Randolph Walker and Drucilla (Whitmire) Apperson, born 1-10-1851 in Dent County, Missouri. He married Elizabeth Anne Sutherland. Their home was Sunbo, Alameda County, California, where they raised two children. (1) ANN DRUCILLA APPERSON, b. 4-20-1878 who married Dr. Joseph Marshal Flint of Yale University, they lived in San Luis Obispo, California. (2) RANDOLPH WILLIAM APPERSON, b. 2-17-1897 in the home of his Aunt Phoebe (Apperson) Hearst, m. 9-8-1923 Francis Adeline Smith, their home was in Pleasanton, California, where they raised one child WILLIAM WALKER APPERSON, b. 11-4-1924.

*3 G. JOHN WHITMIRE

*John was born on 12-21-1818 in Kentucky on the route to Missouri by Henry and Ruth (Hill) Whitmire. First he married Martha Jane Peters who bore him two children: ANN ELIZABETH and MARY E. In 1843 he sold with Martha Jane an interest in his father Henry's estate to Fredrick, his younger brother. John took out a land patent to 54.96 acres north of the Merrimac River in Section 28 Township 41 Range 1 West and another with Jacob Clark in Section 18 Township 40 Range 1 West for 50 acres. Apparently Martha Jane died before the 1850 census where only John and these two children are recorded. Next he married Louisa M. Johnson, b. 1826 in Missouri. Her father was Absolum Johnson and she had seven brothers and sisters: Kitty, Barnett, Valentine, Mildred, Elizabeth, Mary, and Thomas. Louisa M. was the widow of Peter C. Calvert and had a son Peter G. Calvert, born in 1850. Peter C. and Louisa M. sold 40 acres in 1847 in Section 30 Township 40 Range 1 West. They were living next to John Whitmire, the widower when Peter C. died and she promptly married John Whitmire. John and Louisa bought and sold numerous land tracts, primarily in Sections 22, 23, 27 and 28 Township 41 and Section 28 Township 40 Range 1 and 2 and 4 West before his early death on 10-26-1865 at 43 years of age. He was buried in the Whitmire Cemetery. A copy of the citation "Sip Lus, Et Lux Fuit" by the Lebanon Lodge 77 of the Masons is in the Appendixes. A month or two before his death he and Louisa had sold a store house, warehouse, and cistern on Lot 12, corner of Front and George Streets in Sullivan, Missouri, to Steven Sullivan and then leased it back for two years for business. They both sold lots in the town of New Haven, also to Leonard and Helen Keathly. Louisa M. Whitmire, his widow, was left with \$7,000, a sizeable estate, including properties a portion of which was for the life support of their first daughter who was listed as not of sound mind. Their children were PHOEBE, JACOB CLARK, *LURA CELESTE, L. KATHERINE (KATE), JOHN T., and DRUCILLA J. As John's widow she married a widower, James A. Bell, who had at least two children by his first wife Margaret S. Armstrong, m. 3-16-1848. His first children were LOUISA BELL, b. 1852 and JAMES P. BELL, b. 1862. James A. Bell and Louisa M. (Johnson) (Whitmire) Bell had one son PIERCE N. BELL, born either in 1868 or 1870.

In 1868 Valentine Johnson and his wife Elizabeth sold 160 acres in Section 16 Township 41 Range 3 West to James A. Bell. On 6-5-1873 Louisa M. and James A. Bell made an agreement with Valentine Johnson for him to be the guardian and take Pierce N. Bell, son, as his own, raising and supporting him. The Bell name was



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numerous at that time in Franklin County and several lived side by side in Sullivan in 1880 when there were only thirty homes there: Bells, Clarks, Sullivans, Whitmires, and Rowlands made up many of them. James A. Bell was born on 6-27-1827 and married Louisa M. Whitmire on 7-7-1868 and died on 8-14-1873 and is buried in the Buffalo Cemetery. On March 25, 1887, Mrs. Louisa M. Bell sold as guardian of Phoebe Whitmire, being dead and of unsound mind, the property her father John Whitmire had left for her life time support. This is the last record known of Louisa M. (Johnson)(Calvert)(Whitmire) Bell. Her death date or grave site are not to be found.

- a. ANNE ELIZABETH WHITMIRE, b. 1844, m. Frank Bennett.
- b. MARY E WHITMIRE, b. 8-31-1847, m. Ashley Whitley.
- c. PHOEBE WHITMIRE, may have been known as DOLLY, b. 1851, feeble minded.
- d. JACOB CLARK WHITMIRE, b. 1856, m. Clara Gouge.
- *e. LURA CELESTE WHITMIRE, b. 6-8-1858, m. *Grills Elliot Rowland, d. 2-5-1931.
- f. L. KATHERINE (KATE), b. 1864, m. 8-12-1844, J. C. Vaden.
- g. JOHN T., d. 6-26-1863, br. Whitmire Cemetery.
- h. DRUSILIA J., b. 3-18-1854, d. 10-6-1855, br. Whitmire Cemetery beside her father and brother.
- i. ELIZABETH BELL, b 1849 to James A. and Margaret Jane (Armstrong) Bell was apparently dead by 1850.
- j. LOUISA E. BELL, b. 1852, m. 9-11-1871 Charles M. Schmids.
- k. JAMES P. BELL, b. 1862, m. Salley C.
- l. PIERCE N. BUTLER BELL, b. 1870.
- m. PETER G. CALVERT, b. 1850. What happened to him by 1860 census is unknown.

3 G a. ANNE ELIZABETH (WHITMIRE) BENNETT

Anne Elizabeth was the first daughter of John and Martha Jane (Peters) Whitmire born in 1844 in Franklin County, Missouri. Her mother died when she was three to five years old. She then was raised by her stepmother. Her husband was Frank Bennett and nothing further is known of them.

3 G b. MARY E. (WHITMIRE) WHITLEY

Mary E. was the second and last child of Martha Jane Peters to John Whitmire, b. 8-31-1847. Her mother died shortly after her birth and her father remarried Mrs. Louisa M. (Johnson) Calvert, who raised his first family with their own children. Mary married her cousin Ashley Whitley, the son of Samuel Whitley and her aunt Elizabeth Johnson, her mother's sister. Ashley and Mary E. removed from Mo. to South Dakota and for a time lived at Homestead Mine in the Black Hills which was a George Hearst mine. Later they settled in San Francisco, California. Very probably they are the reason her half-sister Lura Celeste and Grills Rowland tried South Dakota and then returned to Missouri. She was still alive and returned for Lura's funeral in Sullivan in 1931. Their children were JOHN, PHOEBE, HENRY

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ASHLEY, and ANN.

- (1) JOHN WHITLEY, nothing is known about him.
- (2) PHOEBE WHITLEY, b. 2-10-1868, m. Herbert Harrington Clay of Lincolnshire, England. Their daughters were (a) MABEL ADELINE CLAY and (b) DRUCILLA CLAY who married Rea E.
- (3) HENRY ASHLEY WHITLEY, m. Arial Lorne Heaven of San Francisco. They had a daughter RUTH ONER WHITLEY, b. 4-2-1903 who married Richard Schlesinger of Portland, Oregon.
- (4) ANN WHITLEY, lived in San Francisco but nothing further is known of her.

3 G d. JACOB CLARK WHITMIRE

Jacob Clark Whitmire was the son of John and Louisa M. (Johnson) Whitmire, born in 1856 in Franklin County, Missouri. In 1879 he sold his inheritance from his father. He married Clara Gouge, born in Pennsylvania, and they had a son JOHN THOMAS WHITMIRE, that became an officer in the Aviation Services of World War I. Jacob made his home in San Francisco, California.

*3 G e. LURA CELESTE (WHITMIRE) ROWLAND

*Lura Celeste was the fourth child of John Whitmire's second marriage to Louisa M. Johnson, born June 8, 1858, near St. Clair, Missouri. The name Celeste came from her mother's first husband Peter Calvert's family undoubtedly. A Celeste Calvert is contemporary with her in Sullivan and no place else does the name appear. The Lura part is still a mystery and may be of the same source. Her cousin Phoebe Apperson Hearst wanted to adopt her after her father died when she was about seven years old; however, she remained with her mother, who raised her family of four Whitmires, and the two step-children of John Whitmire, and later the step-children of her third husband James A. Bell and their one child. Lura Celeste married Grills Elliot Rowland in 1880, who died young, leaving her with children: LOUISA, WALTER RANDOLPH, PHOEBE R., CLARA CELESTE, CYNTHIA ETTA, DRUCILLA RUTH, JOHN BURL, and MARY. The story of this family and each child is recorded in the Rowland section of this book under Grills Elliot Rowland. Mrs. Phoebe Apperson Hearst looked after the widow Rowland all her life and sent each child through college. Lura died at her daughter Phoebe R. Vandewater's home in Glendale, California, in her seventy-third year, on February 15, 1931. She was returned to Sullivan, Missouri, for burial in the Buffalo Cemetery beside her husband and two infant children. She raised her family in the Cumberland Presbyterian Church.

3 G f. L. KATHERINE (WHITMIRE) VADEN

L. Katherine was the last child of John Whitmire born to Louisa M. Johnson, his second wife, in 1864, the year before his death. She was raised by Louisa M., who shortly married James A. Bell. In 1882 she sold her land inheritance



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from her father to Austin W. and James R. Clark and Louise Ritterer. She was a school teacher at the time in Sullivan. Kate married J. C. Vaden of Franklin County on 8-12-1884 in her mother's house with S. M. Johnson performing the ceremony, and they made their home in Flint, Michigan. She was alive in 1931 and returned to Sullivan for her sister Lura Celeste's internment.

3 G k. JAMES P. BELL

James P. (Jim) was the son of James A. and Margaret Jane (Armstrong) Bell, born in 1862. His mother died shortly and his father married Mrs. Louisa M. (Johnson) Whitmire who raised him among the children of five families. He is a step-brother to the second set of John Whitmire children. His guardian in 1881 was Robert Armstrong, probably the brother of his mother. He married Sally C. In 1882 he sold his land inheritance from his father. In 1889 there was another land transaction between him and some of his Bell relatives. He owned property in Sullivan and was the Marshal of Sullivan for several years about 1913. At one point he had been sued by eight different people along with the Mayor Martin and Ben Crow, a Councilman, and one other. They won their case to their relief. James P. and Salley's children were VERNICE EVELINE, an infant, R. EARL, RUTH, and WALTER E.

- (1) VERNICE EVELINE BELL, b. 1884, d. Aug. 1895, br. Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Missouri.
- (2) Infant BELL, b. July, 1894, d. July, 1894, br. Buffalo Cemetery.
- (3) R. EARL BELL, b. 1896, d. 1945, br IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Missouri.
- (4) RUTH BELL, b. 1899, m. Mr. Asplin, d. 1958, br. IOOF Cem. Sullivan, Missouri.
- (5) WALTER E. BELL, b. 1901, d. 1949, br. IOOF Cemetery, Sullivan, Missouri.

3 G l. PIERCE N. BUTLER BELL

Pierce N. Butler Bell was the only son of James A. Bell and his second wife Mrs. Louisa M. (Johnson) Whitmire, born in 1870, thus a half-brother to the second set of John Whitmire's family. On 6-5-1873 just before his father's death, his father and mother made an agreement with her brother Valentine Johnson to take him and raise him as his own and support Pierce. Since Valentine was 57 years old at that time, he apparently died shortly because Pierce's guardian in 1881 was E. H. Jefferies, who handled his inheritance of land sold to the Stanton Iron Bank. It is told he was a nice young, good looking, and very well dressed young man. He went with Ann Crow, who was disowned and sent away because of him. She died and returned about 1910. Nobody from the family met the train and Mr. Martin, the mayor, accepted and buried her. Pierce had taken to drink over her loss and became a drunk and bum. About 1931 or after, he went to Warrensburg, Missouri, to find his half-sister Lura Celeste (Whitmire) Rowland who had long gone from there and was dead and buried in Sullivan. Mrs. (Martin) Stevenson fed him and offered



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money for his return to Sullivan but he bummed back instead. He was found sick in the park, put in a home, and died. His grave site is unknown. It is said he never married but a license has been found where he married Fannie Lay on 9-8-1911 in Union, Missouri.

3 H. FREDRICK WHITMIRE

Fredrick was the only child of Henry and Ruth (Hill) Whitmire born in Missouri. His birthday was 4-11-1822 in Franklin County and probably died the youngest of the family. He married Matilda Crow, b. 1827 in Missouri, the sister of Joseph Crow. Their mother and father both were born in Pennsylvania. This is probably the way that Henry Whitmire's family Bible got into the hands of the Crow family, years later to be given to John Nathan Whitmire, who is not a direct descendant of Henry but a descendant of Henry's brother Thomas. I was able to see and gain much information from this Bible which today has been loaned to Mrs. Armistead in Mineral Point, Missouri, John Nathan Whitmire's niece. Fredrick had no children but in 1850 a James D. Jones age 19 lived with him and Matilda. James D. Jones was probably the brother to Thomas J. Jones that lived three families away with Moses Whitmire, Fred's brother, and his wife Margaret Jones, probably the sister of these two. In 1853 Fred and Matilda sold their share of Henry's first homestead to Jacob Clark with his brothers and sisters. Then in 1854 he bought six of their shares to 134 acres of land lying principally in Section 26 Township 41 Range 2 West. He was the first postmaster in the Sullivan, Missouri, Post Office after it was moved from Mt. Helicon of Jacob Clark. He died in 2-15-1855. Then in 1858 Matilda bought 94 acres from her sister-in-law and husband Randolph and Drucilla Apperson. What then happened to Matilda is not known.

3 I. HENRY WHITMIRE, JR.

Henry is listed as the last child of Henry and Ruth (Hill) Whitmire by the Clark family history; however, he does not appear in Henry, Sr.'s, Bible, will or land transfers to his children. Apparently he was born on a trip when they were returning on a visit to North Carolina because he was born in Tennessee on July 4, 1826, when his father was 50 years old. Or he is the son of Christopher Whitmire or another that stayed in North Carolina and this Henry came out later on his own. Henry, Jr. married a girl named May, born in North Carolina. They lived and raised their family in Merrimac Township of Franklin County, Missouri. Their children were PHOEBE CAROLINE, JACOB H., L. J., MARY DRUCILLA, and ALICE. No doubt Henry married when very young as Phoebe Caroline was born when Henry was 14 or 15 years old.

- a. PHOEBE CAROLINE, b. 1840, m. 10-2-1867 Carrol McAllister.
- b. JACOB H., b. 1845, m. 9-24-1891 Mrs. Addie S. Steele.
- c. L. J., b. 1848 was a girl.
- d. MARY DRUCILLA, b. 1848 (twin of L. J.), m. 12-28-1871 Henry Anderson.
- e. ALICE, b. 1852.



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Some confusion exists about two other people that lived with Henry and May in 1860. The census record is quite difficult to read but an S. Cade or Enloe, b. 1848, and an AGNES WHITMIRE, b. 1838, lived with this family but were not sons or daughters. They had moved to Prairie Township, Franklin County, by then. Henry was listed in the rolls of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church in Sullivan in 1864 when there were 35 members. He also was a Mason in Sullivan.

3 I b. JACOB H. WHITMIRE

Jacob H. was the only son of Henry, Jr., and May Whitmire born in 1845. He was 46 years old when he married Mrs. Addie Steele, widow of A. Aug. Steele and daughter of John and Francis Thurmond, on 2-4-1891, both of Dry Branch, now called Anaconda, Missouri. She had some children since the property she put in Jacob's name in Anaconda, now called Morrellton, was to revert to her children upon his death. One of these was Mary A. Steele, b. 9-2-1881, d. 10-3-1902, br. in the Anaconda Cemetery. Jacob H. became a member of Knights of Pythias. Together Jacob H. and Addie bought and sold at least two sizeable farm plots near Dry Branch and the center of the Whitmire Settlement area. They had no children.

5. THOMAS WHITMIRE

This Thomas, a son of the original George Fredrick and Sarah Phoebe (Hagood) Whitmire of Newberry, South Carolina, birthday is unknown but it took place in Newberry, South Carolina, before the family moved to Missouri, sometime between 1774-1784. He is probably the fifth child. He married Elizabeth Hill, sister of his brother Henry's wife Ruth Hill and his brother William's wife Sarah Hill. Their parents were Henry and Alice (Ridgely) Hill of South Carolina. Many of Thomas and Elizabeth's children were born in South Carolina, the later may be born in Missouri. They were CHRISTOPHER, NATHANIEL, WILLIAM, JOHN HILL, MARGARET (PEGGY), PHOEBE, and POLLY.

- A. CHRISTOPHER, m. Katherine French.
- B. JOHN HILL, b. 1807, m. 12-25-1829 Elizabeth Williams.
- C. NATHANIEL, b. 1810, d. 1891, m. (1) Elizabeth Margaret Clark, (2) Mary Angeline Sullivan.
- D. WILLIAM.
- E. MARGARET (PEGGY), b. 1818, m. 1-28-1841 William Thurmond.
- F. PHOEBE, m. Moses Whitmire, son of Henry.
- G. POLLY, d. 12-13-1895, m. John Auxer.

5 A. CHRISTOPHER WHITMIRE

Christopher was a son of Thomas and Elizabeth (Hill) Whitmire and was born in South Carolina. He married Katherine French. The story is told about Christopher helpless and watching two young daughters trapped in a second story log cabin, standing at the window with their arms entwined, singing "Shall We Gather At The



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River" while they burned to death rather than jumping. Immediately afterward his hair turned pure white. The names of the two girls are not known nor is any more known about Christopher or Katherine.

5 B. JOHN HILL WHITMIRE

John Hill, born in 1807, in Newberry District, South Carolina, to Thomas and Elizabeth (Hill) Whitmire, was married to Elizabeth (Elisa) Williams by her father Rev. Lewis Williams, a Baptist minister, on Christmas, 1829, in Franklin County, Missouri. In 1841, he sold part of the estate of Lewis Williams in Gasconade County about two miles north of Owensville. In 1850 he was located on Indian Creek with his wife and three children: THOMAS L., WILLIAM, and POLLY. He had considerable holdings there and in 1851 John and Elizabeth bought from Wm. Thurmond, his brother-in-law, mineral lands of 80 acres for \$3,500. This John was known as Big John. John had caught two baby bears and raised one with his three daughters. The bear hated one, later mauling her, and was destroyed. Polly was the peace maker between the bear and the family. It is said that John was on trial and a woman witness contradicted him. He took a club and threatened her saying, "You say I lie?" and the judge dismissed the case. They had three daughters and two boys, but only three names are known to live to 1850: THOMAS L., WILLIAM, and POLLY.

- a. THOMAS L., b. 1833, m. 11-12-1862 Martha J. McPeak.
- b. WILLIAM, b. 12-25-1833, never married, d. 12-9-1923.
- c. POLLY, b. 1836.

5 B b. WILLIAM WHITMIRE

William was born Christmas day, 1833, to John Hill and Elizabeth (Elisa) (Williams) Whitmire on Indian Creek, Franklin County, Missouri. He was a corporal in Co E of the 31 Mo Inf Union of Moselle. William was well off, running many cattle on the open range around Indian Creek until he took to gambling, which broke him. William, better known as Uncle Billy, never married but was quite a colorful character. He was known far and wide because of his peculiar habits. He was a wanderer, traveling from one kinfolk to another by foot, and always, year round, wore a long wool overcoat, saying that if it keeps out the cold it should also keep out the heat. He refused to sleep on beds but used the floor in a home, a church, or wherever he found himself at dark. He had a buffalo robe sent to him by his cousin Charles C. In old age his only source of income was whittled young hickory sappling walking canes. In later years he claimed to be 108 years old but this is not so; he did live to 90 years old, dying in the poor farm at Union, Missouri. When taken there he had never had his hair touched in his life. They proceeded to cut and he claimed that they were cutting his strength and he would die. He did die shortly thereafter, on 12-9-1923, and was buried in the Whitmire Cemetery under a stone he had placed there when he was caretaker.



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5 B c. POLLY WHITMIRE

Polly was one of the three girls born to John Hill and Elizabeth (Elisa) (Williams) Whitmire in 1836. She was the peace maker between the pet bear cub and the family. She, as her brother Billy, was a character of the Whitmire family. Known as Aunt Polly to everyone, she smoked a corn cob pipe and dipped tobacco. In her old age she still was the strongest woman in the country, she was noted for being able to pick up two bushels of wheat, which few men could even do. She broke her hip and two weeks later got up and went to work farming.

5 C. NATHANIEL WHITMIRE

Nathaniel was born in 1810 in Newberry, South Carolina, to Thomas and Elizabeth (Hill) Whitmire. He married in Missouri; first, Elizabeth Margaret Clark, b. 1818 in Abbeyville, South Carolina. She was the daughter of the second Jacob Clark, son of the first Jacob Clark, the immigrant to Abbeyville, South Carolina. They had seven children: MARY CLARK, MOSES H., THOMAS J., an infant, JAMES CHRIST, CHARLES C., and JEREMIAH E. Nathaniel took out a land patent on October 3, 1846, to 40 acres in Section 11 Township 40 Range 3 West and later an adjoining 80 acres that is still to this day lived on by his granddaughter Francis Wright. He, also, in 1872, had 161 acres in Section 31 Township 49 Range 4 West in the Cuba area. His second wife was Mary Angeline (Denny) Sullivan, the widow of Mr. Williams. She was born in Missouri in 1825 to probably Stephen and Dorcus Sullivan, the founders of the town of Sullivan, Missouri. Mary Angeline died in 1881, and was buried in Crow Cemetery about a mile down the road from their farm. Nathaniel was also buried there when he died in 1891 at 81 years of age. Their children were CLABORNE FRANKLIN and S. FRANCIS.

- a. MARY CLARK, b. 1835, m. 1853 Augustus Martin.
- b. THOMAS J., b. 1836, d. after 1931, m. Massey.
- c. MOSES H., b 1838, d 2-14-1902, m. 1860 (1) Mary A. Diffenback, and (2) Susan Emaly Evans.
- d. Infant
- e. JAMES CHRIST, b. 1845, d. 1921, m. 1872 Elizabeth J. Noel.
- f. JEREMIAH E., b. 1847.
- g. CHARLES C., b. 1849, m. (1) Mary, d. 11-31-1930.
- h. CLABORNE FRANKLIN, b. 1853, d. 12-29-1910, m. (1) 10-26-1881 Elizabeth Turner, (2) Annie Morrow.
- i. S. FRANCIS (FANNIE), b. 1860, m. 11-17-1884 James M. Shaffer.

5 C a. MARY CLARK (WHITMIRE) MARTIN

Mary Clark Whitmire was the first daughter of Nathaniel and Elizabeth Margaret (Clark) Whitmire, born in 1835 in Missouri. She was married in 1853 to Augustus Martin, b. 1824, brother of Francis Martin who married Sybil Clark, a first cousin of Mary Clark Whitmire. He was the son of Bartlett and Harriet (Marquis) Martin. Augustus Martin was the Sullivan mayor for years. They raised their family of



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five in Sullivan, Missouri, living across the street from the home of my grandmother, Lura Celeste Rowland where she was raising her family. In 1893 Augustus and Mary Clark Martin sold their interest in Nathan's homestead to her brother Claborne Whitmire. Their children were CARRICK RANDOLPH, FRANCIS SELWYN, HARRIET ELIZABETH, HENRY MILTON, and MARY LOUISE.

- (1) CARRICK RANDOLPH MARTIN, m. Lulie Seymour.
- (2) FRANCIS SELWYN MARTIN, m (1) Elizabeth Davis, (2) Mathilda Borberg.
- (3) HARRIET ELIZABETH MARTIN, m. Augustus Hyme.
- (4) HENRY MILTON MARTIN, b. 1861, d. April, 1911, m. Effie Parks, who died in 1917.
- (5) MARY LOUISE MARTIN, b. 2-10-1864, d. 11-30-1915, m. John Henry Childs.

5 C a (5) MARY LOUISE (MARTIN) CHILDS

Mary Louise was the last child of Mary Clark (Whitmire) and Augustus Martin, born 2-10-1864. She married John Henry Childs, b. 6-25-1859. John Henry was a merchant in Sullivan, starting out as a bookkeeper in the Clark-Lane stores, then he was Mayor of Sullivan for eighteen years, and President of the Bank of Sullivan until his death in 11-20-1925. Mary Louise died 11-30-1915 and both are buried in the Buffalo Cemetery in Sullivan. They had three children: FRANK, LUCILLE C, and LEE W.

- (A) FRANK CHILDS, d. before Lucille was born.
- (B) LUCILLE C. CHILDS, m. Dr. A. C. Stevenson, Dentist. She was quite helpful in this story and provided the book JACOB CLARK OF ABBEYVILLE, SOUTH CAROLINA, AND SOME OF HIS DESCENDENTS, that was compiled by Eva Turner Clark in 1926, which was tremendously helpful in putting certain families together. Dr. and Mrs. Stevenson have lived for the past 46 years in Warrensburg, Missouri, where he is retired.
- (C) LEE W. CHILDS, was still living in Sullivan, Mo., in 1975.

5 C c. MOSES H. WHITMIRE

Moses H. was the second child of Nathaniel and Elizabeth Margaret (Clark) Whitmire, born on 3-1-1838 in Missouri. On December 24, 1860, he married his first wife, Mary A. Dittenback, b. 1842 in Pennsylvania. They lived in Boone Township, Crawford County, Missouri, where he homesteaded 40 acres in 1860 after having bought 40 acres in 1853. He added to this holding another 160 acres in 1865. In 1870 he sold 25 acres to a Daniel Evans, who may have been a father or brother to his second wife that he married shortly after Mary A. passed away on January 14, 1872. She was buried in the Buffalo Cemetery in Sullivan. Their children were ELIZABETH S., ANNA LOUISE, PRISCILLA, and DANIEL. Moses H. then was married on 2-15-1873 to Susan Emily Evans, b. 1840 in Missouri, and they had one



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child BENJAMIN F. (M.). In 1883 the family moved to Waco, Texas, where they remained. In 1891 Moses H. and Susan E. sold their share of the Nathaniel Homestead to his brother Claborne Franklin Whitmire. The following was recorded in the Sullivan newspaper on February 28, 1902, "Moses H. Whitmire of Hillsboro, Texas, died two weeks ago, moved to Texas from Boone Creek in 1883, 64 years 11 months 7 days at time of death, two daughters Mrs. E. S. Crumley, Mrs. W. D. Orr," and a tribute in the Hillsboro Mirror: "He was a quiet industrious honorable gentleman, a good farmer, and a successful one. He had the confidence and esteem of everyone who knew him and was one of the leading citizens of his community and was a leader. There was little tinsle about him but everyone esteemed him as being what he represented himself to be. His death is a distinct loss to the community as well as to his family and one feels in contemplating his life and work that such men as he were too rarely met in this life."

- (1) ELIZABETH S., b. 1862 in Missouri, m. E. S. Crumley and lived in California.
- (2) ANNA LOUISE, b. 11-20-1866, d. 9-14-1899.
- (3) PRISCILLA, b. 1869, m William D. Orr and lived in Texas.
- (4) DANIEL, b. 12-3-1871, d. 9-3-1872, br. Buffalo Cemetery, Sullivan, Missouri.
- (5) BENJAMIN F. (M.), b. 1879, d. 1-26-1891 at age 12, br. Gentry County, Missouri.

5 C e. JAMES CHRIST WHITMIRE

James Christ was born on Boone Creek in 1845 to Nathaniel and Elizabeth Margaret (Clark) Whitmire. He bought his first land of 161 acres in Crawford County, Missouri, in 1864. On March 10, 1872, he married Elizabeth J. Noel, b. 1855, daughter of Newman B. and Charity Noel from whom his brother Moses H. bought some land in 1867. James Christ became very prominent, particularly near and in Steelville, Missouri. In 1870 to 1877 he was a teacher in Franklin County and was known to be able to add in his head several columns of digits as rapidly as one could write them down. At the same time in 1873 he was first elected to City Council in Steelville. This he held in 1873, 82, 83, 84-86, serving as Clerk, or Treasurer, most of the time. He also was elected Sheriff of Midland Township, Crawford County, Missouri, from 1878-1882. The election was contested by his opponent in 1880 and a second vote was held with an equal number for each candidate so the courts awarded it to James Christ. In 1879 he was the first Trustee for the town of Steelville, Crawford County, Missouri. In 1885 he took a patent to 40 acres in Crawford County and in April of the same year became a member of the School Board. From 1872 to 1888 he was a teacher in Midland, two miles north of Steelville, with 85 students. He must have been busy because he was also teaching somewhere in Franklin County at the same time, at least 15 miles away. He was a charter member of the Lebanon Lodge No 77 AF & AM and secretary in 1888. In 1891 he also sold his share in Nathan's homestead to Claborne Franklin, his half-brother. In 1898 he moved to Sullivan, Missouri, buying a lot from Francis Selwyn and Matilda Martin in Ross Addition. Then, in 1902, ran for County Clerk. Elizabeth J. died in 1911 and James Christ in 1921, both were buried in the Steelville Cemetery. Their children were CORA E., CLARENCE, TRESSA H., SUSAN (SUSIE) A., WALTER W., ELMER, and JAMES C.



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- (1) CORA E., b. 1873, m. 12-25-1893 William J. Underwood.
- (2) CLARENCE, came home in 1902 from the Army in the Philippines, where he had been serving since the Spanish American War.
- (3) TRESSIA H., b. 1875, m. 4-9-1900 James M. Coppedge.
- (4) SUSAN (SUSIE), A., b 1876, m. 9-3-1896 Isaac H. Whitmire, father and mother unknown.
- (5) WALTER W., b 1877, m 11-10-1898 Mable C. Haley, d. 1949, br. Steelville Cemetery, Steelville, Missouri.
- (6) ELMER, lived three days, br. Steelville Cemetery.
- (7) JAMES C., b. 1880, d. 1934, br. Steelville Cemetery.

5 C e (4) SUSAN A. (SUSIE)(WHITMIRE) WHITMIRE

Susan (Susie) A. was the daughter of James Christ and Elizabeth J. (Noel) Whitmire of Steelville, born in 1876, who married Isaac H. Whitmire on 9-3-1896. Isaac H. was of Salem, Dent County, Missouri, and probably the son of Henry and Sarah H. Whitmire that moved to Dent County from the Whitmire Settlement area of Franklin County, Missouri.

5 C e (5) WALTER W. WHITMIRE

Walter W. was a son of James Christ and Elizabeth J. (Noel) Whitmire of Steelville, Missouri, born in 1877. He married Mable C. Haley, b. 1880, on Nov. 10, 1898. He died in 1949 and she in 1962, both being buried in the Steelville Cemetery as one son WILBER H., b 2-13-1902, d. 1-8-1909. They may have had others and probably a THOMAS NOEL WHITMIRE that served in World War I, who married on 6-15-1913 Sarah Francis Lintz in Steelville.

5 C g. CHARLES C. WHITMIRE

Charles C. was born in 1849 to Nathaniel and Elizabeth Margaret (Clark) Whitmire. He left home at twenty years of age and went to Texas in 1869 and became quite a cowboy. In 1870 he made his first cattle drive as trail boss, taking 750 cattle to Denver with six herders and a cook. He lost this herd in a severe snow storm that scattered the cattle. However, they were rounded up in several days and delivered. In 1871 and 1873 he made two more drives. He was also a buffalo hunter, sending a buffalo robe back to his kinsman Uncle Billy Whitmire. Later, he bought a farm in Hillsboro, Texas, and resided there until his death on 3-31-1930. He and his wife, named Mary, sold their share in 1891 of Nathan's homestead to his half-brother Claborne Franklin. He was a member of the Presbyterian Church for 50 years and known as a quaint old pioneer character. They had several children but their names are not known. He did, however, marry another woman before his death.



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5 C h. CLABORNE FRANKLIN WHITMIRE

Claborne Franklin was born in 1853 to Nathaniel Whitmire and his second wife Mary Angeline Sullivan. He married Elizabeth Turner on October 25, 1881, in Steelville, Missouri. She was born 8-31-1860, and they had one child, ELMER ERNEST. She died on July 20, 1884, and was buried in Crow Cemetery to which Claborne was a trustee. Then on 9-3-1891 he was married by S. F. Whitson in Franklin County to Annie Morrow. On the fifth of the same month he bought the shares of interest in his father's homestead from some of his brothers and sisters. His father's death had taken place earlier in the year. In the next two years he had bought all the interests. His daughter still lives on the farm and her son farms it. Claborne Franklin died on 12-29-1910 and his wife Annie on 1-16-1941, both are buried in Crow Cemetery, Franklin County, Missouri. Claborne Franklin and Annie (Morrow) Whitmire had three children: JOHN NATHAN, MARY, and FRANCIS HOPE.

- (1) ELMER ERNEST, b. 7-14-1882, d. 4-14-1957, m. 11-30-1905 Rosetta Irene Toelle.
- (2) JOHN NATHAN, b. 6-8-1892, never married and still living in 1976.
- (3) MARY, m. John Jones, d. young.
- (4) FRANCIS HOPE, b. 7-22-1895, m. 7-18-1932 John E. Wright and still living in 1976.

5 C h (1) ELMER ERNEST WHITMIRE

Elmer Ernest was the only son born to Claborne Franklin Whitmire's first wife Elizabeth Turner. He was born on 7-14-1882, in Franklin County, Missouri. In 1902 he was shipping his own cattle with John Eldridge. He also was quite an exhibitor, particularly with his tomatoes against Burrell P. Rowland, who won out. On November 30, 1905, he married Rosetta Irene Toelle in St. Louis. The ceremony was performed by Rev. Stephens. He died at 71 on 3-14-1957. Rosetta Irene was born 6-30-1887 and died 12-24-1971 at 84. Both are buried in the Crow Cemetery. Their children were AGNES AURILLA, HELEN ELIZABETH, NATHANIEL ELMER, LEWIS C., FRANKLIN WAYNE, and WINIFRED FRANCIS.

- (A) AGNES AURILLA, m. Charles R. Armistead.
- (B) HELEN ELIZABETH, m. Mr. Williams.
- (C) NATHANIEL ELMER, m. Hattie Henderson.
- (D) LEWIS C., b. 3-29-1909, d. 12-2-1909, br. Crow Cemetery.
- (E) FRANKLIN WAYNE, never married.
- (F) WINIFRED FRANCIS, m. Mr. Hooper.

5 C h (1)(A) AGNES AURILIA (WHITMIRE) ARMISTEAD

Agnes Aurilia is the daughter of Elmer Ernest and Rosetta Irene (Toelle) Whitmire. She married Charles R. Armistead. They are now retired from the Army and living in Mineral Point, Missouri. She has the old Henry Whitmire Bible with



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the family vital statistics, written in by Henry and others. A copy can be found in the Appendixes. Their children are DARRELL LEE and JAMES DALE.

- (a) DARRELL LEE ARMISTEAD, Has a son DENNIS LEE.
- (b) JAMES DALE ARMISTEAD has a daughter TAMARA LYNN.

5 C h (1)(C) NATHAN ELMER WHITMIRE

Nathan Elmer is the son of Elmer Ernest and Rosetta Irene (Toelle) Whitmire. He married Hattie Henderson and is now living with his brother Franklin Wayne, who never married, in Lancaster, California.

5 C h (2) JOHN NATHAN WHITMIRE

John Nathan was born 6-8-1892 to Claborne Franklin Whitmire and his second wife Annie Morrow as her first child. He never married, serving in the Army during World War I. He farmed with his father for years, and was the flashing lad with the ladies but never let one catch up with him. He furnished considerable tradition and stories that are found in this account. Presently he is living in the Soldier's Home in St. James, Missouri, as is one of his and my distant cousins William Leroy Whitmire.

5 C h (4) FRANCIS HOPE (WHITMIRE) WRIGHT

Francis Hope was the last child of Claborne Franklin and Annie (Morrow) Whitmire, born 7-22-1895 in Franklin County, Missouri. She married John Emmel Wright on 7-18-1932. He was born 7-16-1895, and died 5-27-1964. They farmed the original Nathaniel Whitmire Homestead and she still lives on it. Their children are FRANCIS ANN, JOHN CLABORNE, JAMES PATRIC, and ROSEMARY.

- (a) FRANCIS ANN WRIGHT, b 5-2-1934, is still single and assisted in constructing part of the family history.
- (b) JOHN CLABORNE WRIGHT, b. 8-23-1935, is still single.
- (c) JAMES PATRIC WRIGHT, b. 12-29-1937, m. 12-2-1961 Mary Ann Burus and they have five children: a child b. 12-2-1961, d. young; SHILA ANN, b. 12-6-1962; PAMELA ROSE, b 12-20-1963; ANNY RUTH, b. 7-3-1965; and JASON ARRON, b. 8-7-1967. They live and farm the Nathan Whitmire Homestead.
- (d) ROSEMARY WRIGHT, b 7-5-1940, m 8-30-1957 James Lechten, and they have one daughter KRISTIE LYNN LECHTEN, b. 7-7-1973.



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5 C i. S. FRANCIS (WHITMIRE) SHAFFER

S. Francis (Fannie) was born in 1860 to Nathaniel and Mary (Sullivan) Whitmire. On November 17, 1884, she married James W. Shaffer, son of William and Sarah Shaffer, by W. F. Gonny in Franklin County, Missouri, where they made their home. She became quite prominent in the Sullivan circles all of her life. She was not alive in 1931 at the time of my grandmother Lura Celeste's burial and they were close. Their children were TRACY, NATHAN, CARL, CHARLES, and TOM.

- (1) TRACY SHAFFER, b. 1882.
- (2) NATHAN SHAFFER, b. 1890.
- (3) CARL SHAFFER, b. 1891.
- (4) CHARLES SHAFFER, b. 1893.
- (5) TOM SHAFFER, b. 1895.

5 E. MARGARET (WHITMIRE) THURMOND

Margaret, known as Peggy, was born during 1818 in Newberry District, South Carolina, to Thomas and Elizabeth (Hill) Whitmire. Apparently it was early in the year and she made the migration, possibly as the youngest in the Whitmire clan. She married William V. R. Thurmond on 4-7-1841 with Jacob Clark performing the ceremony. William was born in 1810 in Missouri. There are many Thurmonds in the area; in 1850 Samuel Thurmond's family and Bennett Thurmond's family lived next to William and his family as farmers. They probably are brothers. In 1870 in Franklin County, Missouri, William was a blacksmith and John Whitmire, Margaret's brother, and his son William were living with them. Next door was an Alfred Thurmond, b. 1820, also probably a brother. By 1880 William was dead and John Whitmire was living with Margaret Thurmond who still had three of her children at home. William and Margaret Thurmond's children were MALIPA, PHILLIP, MARY A., NANCY E., and KERRICK WHITE.

- a. MALIPA THURMOND, b. 1845, still at home in 1880.
- b. PHILLIP THURMOND, b. 1849, m. Edith.
- c. MARY A. THURMOND, b. 1854, m. 9-16-1833 at Moselle Andrew Ritchey.
- d. NANCY E. THURMOND, b. 1856, still at home in 1880.
- e. KERRICK WHITE THURMOND, b. 1859, still at home in 1880.

5 E b. PHILLIP THURMOND

Phillip, the second child of William and Margaret (Whitmire) Thurmond, was born in 1849. In 1880 he lived two houses away from his mother with his own family. His wife was Edith, born in 1846. Their children were: MILTON F., b. 1876; HENRY, b. 1878; and EMMIE, b. Dec., 1879.

7. JOHN (FRANKLIN) WHITMIRE

John, whose name may also have been Franklin, was a son of George Fredrick



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and Sarah Phebe (Hagood) Whitmire of Newberry, South Carolina. He married Sallie Tiger but little is known about them. Tradition says they were in the migration party but no records in Missouri show their name. He may have died shortly after arriving and before the 1830 census.

8. COL. MOSES WHITMIRE

Moses was apparently the last son of George Fredrick and Sarah Phebe (Hagood) Whitmire, born on 8-25-1789, in Newberry, South Carolina. He married in South Carolina Elizabeth Evans of the family that later came with them to Missouri. She was born 8-11-1790. He fought in the War of 1812, being raised to the rank of Colonel and was referred to thereafter by that name. When the caravan started from Newberry and Abbeyville Districts of South Carolina, he took over the leadership and was the trail boss. He led them through the Cumberland Gap, across what still was South Carolina but is now known as Tennessee, across Kentucky, and Illinois to the Mississippi River and crossed over into the newly opened country of Missouri. Meeting Daniel Boone at Potasi, they were guided to the place they settled and called the Whitmire Settlement. He showed up as early as 1819 on the Missouri tax lists, thus they had arrived by that time. He assisted in selecting the site and laid out the town of Union for the County Court House and jail as soon as Franklin County was separated from St. Louis County. In 1825 he was one of the three first County Commissioners and received the site under the law of January 25, 1825. He and Brackett Barnes laid out 42 blocks of the town of Union in 1827. All this time he, with his brothers, were living in Section 21 Township 41 Range 1 West on the bend in the Merrimac River south of what is now Morrellton, Missouri, the heart of the Whitmire Settlement, the location of the Whitmire Cemetery and the place the three-week camp meetings took place each year as everyone came to devote the whole time to worshipping God. Jacob Clark was the presiding minister. By 1835 the homestead act had allowed them all to take out patents on the lands they had settled. Moses took his out in the East 1/2 of the Southwest 1/4 of Section 21 Township 41 Range 1 West for 36.84 acres of land. The next year on December 22, 1836, Moses died at the age of 47, leaving a will with Elizabeth, his wife, and Phebe, his daughter, named. The executor was son John H. Whitmire and witnessed by Thomas Whitmire and James Collins. Elizabeth died at the age of 74 on August 3, 1864, and no doubt both were buried in the Whitmire Cemetery, even though no marked grave stones can be found. Their nine children were PHOEBE UNITY, JOHN H., ISAAC E., CHARITY ANN, MARTHA CAROLINA, SARAH, RUTH, MARY, and WALTER HENRY.

- A. PHOEBE UNITY, b. 9-11-1813 in Tennessee, never married.
- B. JOHN H., b. 6-28-1815, d. 9-10-1850, m. 12-25-1829 Elisa Williams.
- C. ISAAC E., b. 9-28-1816, d. 12-8-1846.
- D. CHARITY ANN, b. 5-17-1819, d. 8-14-1868, m. 7-31-1836 Thomas Lawson Cofer.
- E. MARTHA CAROLINA, b. 3-28-1821, d. 8-11-1852, m. Isaac Evans.
- F. SARAH, b. 7-23-1824, d. 10-9-1833.
- G. RUTH, b. 5-17-1826, m. 1846 Thomas T. Woodcock.
- H. MARY, b. 9-28-1830, d. 12-21-1868, m. 12-16-1852 Henry Whitmire, son of Henry Whitmire.
- I. WALTER HENRY, b. 4-28-1833, d. 8-7-1834.



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8 B. JOHN H. WHITMIRE

John H. was born in 1815 in Newberry District, South Carolina, to Col. Moses and Elizabeth (Evans) Whitmire. John H. had been farming in Merrimac Township and in 1847 through 1849 he bought 214 acres and homesteaded 87 acres in the area where Stanton, Missouri, now stands and all the land under the present interchange. Then he began selling out and went out west in the Gold Rush in California, dying in Portland, Oregon, on 9-10-1850 at 35 years of age.

8 C. ISAAC E. WHITMIRE

Isaac E. was born on 9-14-1816 in Newberry, South Carolina, to Col. Moses and Elizabeth (Evans) Whitmire. In 1844 he took a land patent out on 40 acres in Section 26 Township 41 Range 2 West. Then he became a soldier in the War with Mexico. He served in the infantry but they were actually cavalry men who rode 300 horses to slaughter. He was killed in Santa Fe, on December 8, 1846. His will was administered by his brother John H. Whitmire and brother-in-law Thomas L. Cofer.

8 D. CHARITY ANN (WHITMIRE) COFER

Charity Ann was the first child of Col. Moses and Elizabeth (Evans) Whitmire born in Missouri on May 17, 1819, possibly the first Whitmire born in Missouri. She was married to Thomas Lawson Cofer on July 31, 1836, by Jacob Clark the 3rd. He was born on 1-18-1815 in Abbeyville, South Carolina, to Mr. Cofer and Elizabeth (Clark) Cofer, daughter of Jacob Clark the 1st. There are records that say that Charity Ann died 3-2-1872, and Thomas Lawson 8-14-1868, yet there are two other records that confuse this. Both their names appear on the document with Elizabeth Whitmire, who is also supposed to be dead 20 years, and Henry and Mary Whitmire selling the Henry Sr. place to Charles Jones on August 18, 1884. Then an Isaac Whitmire and a William M. Daughtery advertised the estate for Charity Cofer (deceased) on August 15, 1901. No other Charity Ann and Thomas Cofer can be identified. Their ten children are SARAH ELIZABETH, MARTHA P., MOSES AUGUSTUS, NANCY JANE, MISSOURI ANN HILL, FLORENCE ADELA, JOHN JACOB, THOMAS JAMES, MARY AGNES, and EMILY DIUGUID.

- a. SARAH ELIZABETH COFER, b. 6-30-1838, m. John Usher, had one child.
- b. MARTHA P. COFER, b. 3-11-1840, m. Benjamin Tilley, d. 6-1860, had one child.
- c. MOSES AUGUSTUS COFER, b. 2-13-1842, d. 5-1873.
- d. NANCY JANE COFER, b. 7-7-1844, d. 4-1868.
- e. MISSOURI ANN HILL COFER, b. 2-24-1847 m. John Jackson Harrington, had six children and lived in Joplin, Missouri.
- f. FLORENCE ADELA COFER, b. 4-11-1849, d. 8-29-1909.
- g. JOHN JACOB COFER, b. 10-22-1851, m. 2-17-1875 Lizzie Langford, had seven children and lived in Joplin, Missouri.
- h. THOMAS JAMES COFER, b. 9-10-1854, m. 10-18-1876 in Joplin,

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Missouri, Lydia Maria Gray, had five children, moved 1905 to Portland, Oregon.

1. MARY AGNES COFER, b. 9-15-1858, m. 1883 in Joplin, Missouri, Samuel Vaughn, had four children, removed to North Port, Washington, then to Portland, Oregon, and finally Chicago, Illinois.
- j. EMILY DUIGUID COFER, b. 10-16-1862, m. 1881 in Parsons, Kansas, Alonzo D. Collins, d. 5-4-1909, br. in Joplin, Missouri, had two children; one GUNGE COLLINS of Joplin, Missouri, has Col. Moses Whitmire's family Bible and a walnut cabinet made by Moses (plain and simple work but prized).

8 E. MARTHA CAROLINE (WHITMIRE) EVANS

Martha Caroline, born 3-28-1821 in Franklin County, Missouri, was a daughter of Col. Moses and Elizabeth (Evans) Whitmire. She married Isaac Evans, probably a nephew of her mother. In 1850 Isaac was a farmer living only a few homes away from Benjamin Evans, b. 1795 in South Carolina, and Susanah, b. 1795 in South Carolina, probably his father and mother and Elizabeth Evan's brother. Next to Benjamin lived John Evans, b. 1816, Kentucky, with his wife Catherine, b. 1826, Kentucky, and a daughter Susan, b. 1849 in Missouri. Not too far away another Benjamin Evans, b. 1826 in Tennessee, lived. Both are probably sons of Benjamin Sr. and brothers to Isaac. Isaac's and Martha Caroline's children were MARY J., b. 1850, and SUSAN E., b. 1850. Their mother Martha Caroline died on 8-11-1852 and is probably buried in the Whitmire Cemetery.

8 G. RUTH (WHITMIRE) WOODCOCK

Ruth, daughter of Col. Moses and Elizabeth (Evans) Whitmire, was born on May 17, 1826, in Franklin County. In 1846 she married Thomas J. Woodcock by whom she had two children: ISAAC E. and MARY A. (POLLY). Thomas J. Woodcock was born in 1822 in Tennessee. He had trouble keeping wives: Ruth died on 6-3-1850 and is buried in the Whitmire Cemetery. His second wife, Catherine Jane (b. 9-1-1824), died on 4-4-1853, and is also buried in the Whitmire Cemetery. In 1880 Thomas J. was living with his son Isaac E. and his family. Isaac at that time had one daughter and three sons: A. M., b. 1871 daughter; T. E., b. 1872; J. F., b. 1877; and W. I., b. 1878. Isaac had the same problem with three wives at least.

- a. ISAAC E. WOODCOCK, b. 2-1847, m. Mary A. Whitmire, daughter of Moses, son of Henry and Ruth Whitmire; and then married a Bennett girl. He had several children by Jane Bennett.
- b. MARY A. (POLLY) WOODCOCK, b. 1849, m. Charles Stanford and had several children.



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ISBELL

The Isbell Coat of Arms, from a copy owned by the family, is as follows: "Per fesse engrailed argent and azure. In chief three heather blooms, two buds and one full bloom all slipped proper. In base an ancient galley sailing upon a sea all proper.

Crest: A stag's head with six points on each attire, proper."

The first person of this name in Virginia was John Isbell who was a headright of Richard Renshaw who patented 300 acres in Gloucester, March 23, 1664.

A William Isbell was holding 150 acres in King William in 1704. William Isbell and William Isbell, Jr., witnessed a deed from Robert Carew to John Isbell of King and Queen in 1702. It is said that several items on John Isbell, years 1702-04, appear in the King William County photostats in the Virginia State Library.

A William Isbell, Jr., died in Caroline 1760, naming sons John, Henry, Daniel, and Benjamin. A John Isbell died there in 1762. Of these some are known to have gone to Alabama, Georgia, and Mississippi. In Rowan County, North Carolina, at the time of the 1790 census four Isbell families are found that appear to be the forerunners of some families that later moved on into Kentucky, then another generation on into Missouri. The heads of these households were: 1. HICKMAN ISBELL, a single man at the time; 2. JASON ISBELL, with two sons under 16, four females and five slaves; 3. THOMAS ISBELL, with one son under 16 and three females in the household; and 4. RICHARD ISBELL with three women. They all were located in Salsbury District, Rowan County. In Halifax and Wilks County, other Isbells existed at the time. Two familiar named families that later appear in Missouri in part that pioneered Kentucky have been found.

1. PVT. THOMAS ISBELL

Thomas Isbell was born in Virginia in 1753 and may or may not be the Thomas named above. He fought in the Revolutionary War as a Private. In 1782 he married Discretion Howard, dying in 1819, where unknown. But some of his children show up in Warren County, Kentucky. Others may have been elsewhere in Kentucky among the Isbells of several counties. Their children were PRUDENCE, BENJAMIN, JOHN, FRANCIS, LIVINGSTON, ELIZABETH, THOMAS, MARY, and JAMES.

- A. PRUDENCE, m. Ambrose Carlton.
- B. BENJAMIN, m. Martha Parks.
- C. JOHN.
- D. FRANCIS, m. Micajah Ferguson.
- E. LIVINGSTON, m. Mary Edwards.
- F. ELIZABETH, m. Nimrod Ferguson.
- G. THOMAS, m. Lucinda Petty.



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H. MARY, m. Joseph Tucker.
I. JAMES, m. Rutila Houston.

1 E. LIVINGSTON ISBELL

It is rather conclusive that this is the Livingston Isbell that is in Warren County, Kentucky, in the 1820 census. He was the third son of Pvt. Thomas Isbell and Discretion (Howard) Isbell, born sometime between 1794 to 1800. He married Mary Edwards who was born in 1804. In 1820 they had three boys born shortly before 1820 and also an older man lived with them at the time, possibly his father. In 1830 the Livingston Isbell name appears in Jefferson County, Missouri.

1 I. JAMES ISBELL

It is assumed this James is the son of Pvt. Thomas and Discretion (Howard) Isbell. He was born between 1775-1794 and married Rutila Houston, born between the same dates. According to the Warren County, Kentucky, census, they had seven children born shortly before 1810 to 1820, five boys and two girls.

2. PVT. PENDELTON ISBELL

Pvt. Pendelton Isbell is most likely a brother to the Pvt. Thomas Isbell. The family Bible was recently in the hands of a descendent GEORGE PENDELTON ISBELL of San Antonio, Texas. Pvt. Pendelton was born 2-6-1757 in Virginia. In 1782 he married Sarah Henderson, b. 11-14-1758. At seventy-two years of age he died in 1829. Their children were JAMES, LIVINGSTON, DANIEL, PENDELTON II, ELIZABETH, MARY, HANNAH, SARAH, and JOHN.

- A. JAMES, b. 8-7-1786, d. 2-4-1862, m. Nancy Caython (Cawhon).
- B. LIVINGSTON, b. 3-7-1788, d. 11-29-1823, m. Mary Maze (b. 6-30-1788, d. 9-1-1858) had a son PENDELTON III from whom GEORGE PENDELTON II is a descendent.
- C. DANIEL, m. Margaret.
- D. PENDELTON II.
- E. ELIZABETH, m. David Huggins.
- F. MARY, m. Drury Cockerham.
- G. HANNAH, m. Samuel Mullins.
- H. SARAH, b. 11-11-1797, m. Moses Hughes.
- I. JOHN.

2 A. JAMES ISBELL

This is the James Isbell that is probably the son of Pvt. Pendelton and Sarah (Henderson) Isbell. He was born 8-7-1786 and died 2-4-1862. He married Nancy Caython (or Cawhon). But in the 1820 census of Warren County, Kentucky, his wife's



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name was Mary, born between 1775 and 1794. There are apparently four children. In 1820 there were two boys and a girl still at home. Probably children were NANCY, POLLY, and JAMES.

- a. NANCY, m 1-27-1814 Silas Sturdivant, James and Mary gave their permission and witnessed by John Isbell.
- b. POLLY, b. 1794-1804, m. 8-29-1814 Bazel Robertson.
- c. JAMES, JR., b. 1800-1802, m. 8-4-1819 Polly Simpson.

2 D. PENDELTON ISBELL, II

This Pendelton was probably the son of Pvt. Pendelton and Sarah (Henderson) Isbell. He appeared in October, 1830, in St. Francois County, Missouri, with several other men gaining permission to dig for lead on NE 1/2 N 1/4 Section 18 Township 34 Range 5 East.

*3. JASON L. ISBELL

A third Isbell of the age group of Privates Thomas and Pendelton was Jason L. He had to be married before 1787 to father at least one son that married in 1807. A Jason was in Rowan County, North Carolina, according to the first census in 1790 with two sons under 16 years and four females and five slaves. On 8-20-1799 he took out a 200 acre warrant on Sinking Creek, Warren County, Kentucky. In 1800 Jason and Jason L. Isbell were listed on the tax list there. Little positive information exists about him. For lack of any proof one way or another I have listed here a number of other Isbells on Licking and Barren Creek, Warren County, Kentucky, as his sons and daughters. These may some day be given more definite and accurate placing. They are HANNER, PHEBE, *JASON JR., HENRY, WILLIAM, TEMPLE, and JINCY.

- A. HANNER, m. 3-21-1802 Richard Biggs, consent given by father Jason Isbell.
- B. PHEBE, m. 1805 Dick Davidson.
- *C. JASON JR., m. 10-5-1897 Elizabeth Parker.
- D. HENRY, b. 1790-1800.
- E. WILLIAM, m. 10-3-1814 Dorcas Cox.
- F. TEMPLE, b. 1794-1800.
- G. JINCY, m. 4-6-1819 Phillip Sears.

*3 C. JASON ISBELL, JR.

*Jason, Jr., was born to Jason L. Isbell, probably about 1787-1790. In Warren County, Kentucky, on 10-5-1807 he married Elizabeth Parker. Nathaniel Parker served as her security. A Jason besides Jason L. was on the 1800 tax list of Warren County, Kentucky. He may have been this individual or possibly it was his grandfather. Also a Jason Isbell appears later in the 1830 census in Washington County, Missouri. Nowhere else in Kentucky or Missouri does a Jason appear in 1830 or later. There is a possibility this Jason, Jr., was dead by that time and



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it was his father Jason L. that migrated to Missouri. A Mrs. Elizabeth Isbell on 4-27-1824 married a Jesse Bounds in Warren County, Kentucky, and this could very well be Jason, Jr.'s, wife Elizabeth Parker in as much as no other Elizabeth is known to have married an Isbell. Also, Pascal's marriage was consented to by his guardian Philip Sears in 1824. It is purely speculation that the following are Jason Jr's children but several circumstances would make this to be the case: PASCAL, JAMES R., DAVID L., MARY MELINDA, *SUSANNAH CAROLINE, EWING, and GRILLS.

- a. PASCAL, b. 1800-10, m. 7-8-1824 Clarissa Sears.
- b. JAMES R., b. 1800-10, m. 4-1-1829 Eleanor Whitten.
- c. DAVID L., m. 12-14-1829 Elvira Whitten.
- d. MARY MELINDA, m. 10-29-1835 Jesse Roland.
- *e. SUSANNAH CAROLINE, b. 1820, m. Burl Roland.
- f. EWING, b. 1820, m. Sarah Perkins.
- g. GRILLS, b. 1829.

3 C a. PASCAL ISBELL

Pascal was born between 1800 and 1810 probably to Jason Isbell, Jr. and Elizabeth Parker. For some reason, probably the death of his father, Pascal was given consent to marry by his guardian Philip Sears. He married on 7-8-1824 in Warren County, Kentucky, Clarissa Sears (b. 1810-15), daughter of Thomas Sears. By 1830 they had three girls born in Warren County, Kentucky.

3 C b. JAMES R. ISBELL

James R. Isbell was born 1800-1810 probably to Jason, Jr. and Elizabeth Parker because in 1830 he lived next door to Pascal Isbell. On 4-1-1829 he married Eleanor Whitten, b. 1810-15. In the 1830 census they had a male born 1810-15 living with them.

3 C c. DAVID L. ISBELL

David L. is suspected to be the son of Jason, Jr. and Elizabeth (Parker) Isbell by association in Washington County, Missouri, in 1847. A Jason Isbell was recorded there in 1830 and David L. and his wife Elvira Whitten (both of St. Francois County, Missouri) bought on May 16, 1847, the W 1/2 W 1/4 of Section 28 Township 39 Range 3 East of 82.25 acres in Washington County. In December of the same year they also bought 41.13 acres in the SE 1/4 SE 1/4 of the same section. They may have been the parents of WILLIAM ISBELL who on 4-6-1852 married in St. Francois County, Mo., Clodis Diel. A NATHANIEL F. ISBELL with his wife Martha A. on 7-10-1845 bought property from Reubin Bacon of 77 acres in Franklin County on Boone Creek next to the Burl Rolands. He may also be their son.



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3 C d. MARY MELINDA (ISBELL) ROLAND

It is purely speculation that Mary Melinda is the daughter of Jason, Jr. If he was dead when Mary Melinda married in Missouri then she either came to Missouri with her mother and step-father or her grandfather Jason L. In either case, it appears she must be closely related to the Jason that was a resident of Washington County, Missouri. She married Jesse Roland in Potasi, Washington County, Missouri, on 10-29-1935. Thus the family probably moved from Kentucky to Missouri between 1830 and 35, joining up with their former neighbors and friends the Archibald Rolands. Mary Melinda and Jesse Roland's family is given in the Roland section of this book.

*3 C e. SUSANNAH CAROLINE (ISBELL) ROLAND

*Susannah Caroline was the daughter of Jason, Jr., and Elizabeth (Parker) Isbell. First her name on the marriage license was spelled ISABELLE, but she could not read or write so this could easily have been a recording error. Susannah Caroline was born in Kentucky in 1820. She married Burl Roland in Washington County, Missouri, and their history is recorded in the Roland section of this book. She is my great-grandmother.

3 C f. EWING ISBELL

Ewing is suspected of being a son of Jason, Jr., and Elizabeth (Parker) Isbell and, if so, may be a twin to Susannah Caroline since he was also born in 1820 in Kentucky. He married Sarah Perkins (b. 1827), daughter of Daniel Perkins (b. 1790 in Kentucky) who lived with them in 1850 in Washington County, Missouri. They had three daughters at that time: MARY, b. 1842; MARTHA, b. 1844; and SUSAN, b. 1847.

3 C g. GRILLS ISBELL

Grills, who was born in Kentucky in 1823, may very well have been the son of Jason, Jr., and Elizabeth (Parker) Isbell and the brother to Susannah Caroline who named one of her sons Grills Elliot Rowland. Grills Isbell was a grocery clerk in Franklin County, Missouri, in 1850.

3 D. HENRY ISBELL

A Henry Isbell, born between 1790 and 1800, appears to be a son of Jason L. Isbell. According to the 1830 census of Warren County, Kentucky, he had a wife and eight children, ranging from 1810 to 1830 births, five girls and three boys.



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An 1820 census listed a Hewig Isabell who it is on suspicion is no other than Henry Isbell since it never appears elsewhere in Warren County, Kentucky. If it is the same, one boy had died by 1830. Only two children are named by reference to marriage licenses and they are MATILDA, who married Nimrod Lewis on 8-24-1826, and REBECCA, who married Charles Lewis on the same day. It does not appear that Henry or his family left Kentucky but no real study has been made of this.

3 E. WILLIAM ISBELL

William Isbell is a son of Jason L. Isbell. In Warren County, Kentucky, on 10-3-1814 he married Dorcas Cox, daughter of Phineas Cox. Jason L., his father gave his consent. He is still found there in 1820 but by 1830 no William Isbell is still in Warren County, Kentucky. But in 1830 a William E. Isbell is found in Jackson County, Missouri. This may be the same individual.

3 F. TEMPLE ISBELL

Temple is probably the son of Jason L. Isbell. He was born probably in 1790. He appears with a family in 1820 and 1830 in Warren County, Kentucky. His wife was born between 1794 and 1800 and they had at least seven children, born from 1810-1825, four boys and three girls. Only one name can I identify with them and that is TEMPLE E. ISBELL, who in 1836 married Salley Davis. Temple warranted from 1818 - 1822 some 262 acres in four plots on Big Barren River in Warren County, Kentucky, very near to Archibald Roland's holdings.

Many of the Isbells of Warren County, Kentucky, stayed in that area. There are four prominent cemeteries near them that have old grave stones carrying this name and probably many of the unmarked stones belong to them. The Goshen Cemetery has many stones beginning with 1812 dates. The Isbell Cemetery on the Hardcastle farm near Greenhill has many. The Sears Cemetery begins with 1829 dates of Isbells and the Plano Cemetery has Isbells dating from 1832.



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PARKER

Little is known of the Parker family of Warren County, Kentucky. *ELIZABETH PARKER married *JASON ISBELL, JR., on 10-5-1807. Her security was NATHANIEL PARKER, possibly a father or brother. Six other Parkers were married there in the same generation and are probably brothers and sisters. ZELPHY PARKER married Edwin Reaves on 12-15-1799. CHARLES PARKER was married to Jan Ulley on 1-1-1799. WILLIAM PARKER married on 8-21-1800 Mary Mirrah. MARY PARKER and Elijah Hill married 8-5-1800. Then SARAH PARKER was married on 4-28-1807 to Henry Fox. She was given consent by a John Stone. This may be a step-father or guardian to her and may also be the same for all the others. Later on 12-3-1813 an ELIZABETH PARKER married Joseph Brown. This may be another family of Parkers.



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CRAWFORD

The family background for Susannah Crawford, wife of Archibald L. Roland, is very elusive. Her father was JOHN CRAWFORD of Warren County, Kentucky. In the 1800 census of that place, he is listed as head of household along with Moses, Thomas, Thomas Jr., and Isaac Crawford; at the same time forty-one other Crawfords are listed as heads of households in numerous other counties of Kentucky. John was originally from Virginia, where he was born, but when and how he migrated to Kentucky or how he is related to these others of this name is unknown to this author. His children were: SUSANNAH, MARGARET, JAMES, JEREMIAH, ABEL, ISIAH, and MICHAEL.

1. SUSANNAH, b. 1790 in Virginia, m. 2-23-1809 in Warren County, Kentucky, Archibald L. Roland.
2. MARGARET, m. John Roland in Warren County, Kentucky.
3. JAMES, m. 4-7-1811 Sarah Newport.
4. JEREMIAH ABEL, m. 7-11-1811 Sarah Johnson.
6. MICHAEL, m 8-15-1808 Betsy Rowland, sister of John and Archibald L., all in Warren County, Kentucky.

Michael Crawford on 2-18-1833 named his brother-in-law John Rowland guardian of his children in Randolph County, Missouri, the court order of 8-17-1835 carried this out for JOHN, J. BASHY, and WILLIAM CRAWFORD, his sons. Abel and Isaiah Crawford were witnesses to the marriage of Archibald L. Rowland to Susannah, their sister. James was security and witness to John Rowland's marriage to Margaret, their other sister.



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JOHNSON

The name of Johnson in Virginia is legion. There are several with Christian names of Absolum about the same time as the *ABSOLUM JOHNSON that removed from Orange County, Virginia, to Kentucky. Then in 1817 Absolum removed on to Missouri and settled. There is a Johnson Township in the northwest corner of Washington County encompassing Indian Creek area. It is in this area that Louisa M. Johnson who married John Whitmire came from. I am of the opinion this township is named for this family or their relatives. Absolum Johnson married Mary Mitchel, also born in Virginia. Their first three children are known to have been born in Virginia and the next five in Missouri. They are KITTY, BARNETT, VALENTINE, MILDRED, ELIZABETH, *LOUISA M., MARY, and THOMAS.

1. KITTY JOHNSON, b. in Virginia, m. William Coons.
2. BARNETT JOHNSON.
3. VALENTINE JOHNSON, b. 1816, m. (1) 4-1838 Susan Hulsey, (2) Elizabeth L. and (3) Ellen.
4. MILDRED JOHNSON, b. in Missouri, m. Samuel Mitchell.
5. ELIZABETH JOHNSON, b. in Missouri, m. Samuel Whitley.
- *6. LOUISA M. JOHNSON, b. 1826 in Missouri, m. (1) Peter Calvert, (2) John Whitmire, and (3) James A. Bell.
7. MARY JOHNSON, b. in Missouri, m. (1) Fitch, (2) Coons, brother to William who married her sister Kitty.
8. THOMAS JOHNSON, b. in Missouri, d. young.

3. VALENTINE JOHNSON

Valentine, the son of Absolum and Mary (Mitchel) Johnson, was born in 1816 in Kentucky by some records and others in Virginia. No doubt the family was enroute from Virginia at the time. He married Susan Hulsey in April, 1838, in Washington County, Missouri. By 1868 he had married an Elizabeth J. _____ with whom he transferred or sold land in 1868. Then by 1870 census he had a wife named Ellen. Valentine was quite active in land buying and selling in Franklin County. On June 5, 1873, he made an agreement with his sister Louisa M. and her husband James A. Bell to take and raise their son Pierce N. Butler Bell as his own providing his support, James A. Bell died shortly thereafter.

5. ELIZABETH (JOHNSON) WHITLEY

Elizabeth was a daughter of Absolum and Mary (Mitchel) Johnson, the second daughter to be born in Missouri. She married Samuel Whitley, son of Thomas Whitley. Samuel's mother was Jane Ashley, daughter of General William H. Ashley, an important resident of St. Louis. Their children were ELIZABETH, JANE, ANGELINE, NANCY, ASHLEY, and ADELINE.



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- A. ELIZABETH WHITLEY, d. as an infant.
- B. JANE WHITLEY, m. Samuel Melvin.
- C. ANGELINE WHITLEY, m. 4-19-1855 Austin Whitmire Clark.
- D. NANCY WHITLEY, d. at 19 years of age.
- E. ASHLEY WHITLEY, m Mary E. Whitmire, step-daughter of his aunt Louisa M. (Johnson) Whitmire and their family history is in the Whitmire section of this book.
- F. ADELINE WHITLEY, m. Henry Burrow Clark.

*6. LOUISA M. (JOHNSON) WHITMIRE

Louisa M. was the daughter of Absolum and Mary (Mitchel) Johnson, born in 1826 in Missouri. She first married Peter C. Calvert by whom she had one son PETER G. CALVERT, born in 1850. Calvert died and she married their next door neighbor and widower John Whitmire who already had two children. By him she had six children: PHEBE A. WHITMIRE, JACOB CLARK WHITMIRE, *LURA CELESTE WHITMIRE, L. KATHERINE WHITMIRE, JOHN T. WHITMIRE, and DRUSCILLA WHITMIRE. On John's death in 1865 she married James A. Bell, a widower with three children. They had one boy PIERCE N. BUTLER BELL. The complete story of these families is recorded in the Whitmire section of this book.



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HILL

The name HILL is legion in the early days of our country and little has been found on the family of *HENRY HILL, SR, the grandfather of Ruth Hill, who married Henry Whitmire. Henry Hill Sr.'s mother was Sarah Richardson. According to his will of 1773, filed in Frederick County, Maryland, he named several children and grandchildren. The children were ROBERT, *HENRY TRUMAN, PHILIP, THOMAS, JOHN, ELIZABETH, CATHERINE, and ANN.

At least one son Robert above went into Mason County, Kentucky. Joseph, son of Henry, removed himself to Mason County, Kentucky, having five children and died there in 1798. Elizabeth married Caleb Taylor Tarlton in 1812 in Mason County, Kentucky. She must have been elderly at this time. Nothing more is known of this family except for Henry Truman.

*HENRY TRUMAN HILL removed from Frederick County, Maryland, in 1779 to 96th District and as it later was known Newberry District, South Carolina. He married Alice Ridgely of Fredricktown, Maryland. They had at least four children, possibly others not known of at this time: JOSEPH, SARAH, *RUTH, and ELIZABETH. There was a group of HILLS that did migrate to Missouri in the 1818 move from the 96th District which indicates there must have been other boys in this family. The girls had already married into the Whitmire family. Sarah first married M. Fowler, then as probably his widow she married William Whitmire, the twin brother of Henry Whitmire, whom Ruth Hill married. Ruth died in Missouri on October 28, 1843. Elizabeth Hill married Thomas Whitmire, a younger brother of William and Henry, sons of George Fredrick Whitmire of Newberry District, South Carolina.



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RIDGELY

*WILLIAM RIDGELY, SR., born 1645 in England, came to Ann Arundale province of Maryland in 1672. Col. Henry Ridgely's will shows him to be his brother. His first survey, in 1697, was "Ridgeley's Beginning," northside of South River. In 1690 he bought of James Ferely a portion of "Abbingtion" 200 acres at the head of South River and made it his homestead.

William and Elizabeth Ridgely sold in 1710 "Ridgeley's Beginning" to Amos Garnett. Only one son, WILLIAM RIDGELY, JR., was named by them. William Sr. and his wife deeded to their son and wife "Abbingtion" and a portion of the home tract. The home tract was also divided and given to Mrs. Mary Ridgely, late widow of Col. Henry Ridgely. William Ridgely Sr. died in 1716 in Ann Arundale County, Maryland.

1. *WILLIAM RIDGELY, JR.

*William Ridgely, Jr. was born of William and Elizabeth Ridgely, Sr. in Ann Arundale County, Maryland, in 1678. In 1702 in that same place, he married Jane Westall, daughter of George and Sarah (Wade) Westall. His inheritance was a portion of "Abbingtion" and the home site. He died in 1716 or 18 at 38 or 40 years of age while Jane lived to 66 years of age, dying in 1748. They had several children: WILLIAM III, *WESTALL, SARAH, JOHN, MARTHA, and ALICE.

1 a. WILLIAM RIDGELY, III

William Ridgely, III, was the son of William and Jane (Westall) Ridgely, Jr. and was married in 1726 to Mary Orrick, daughter of James and Priscilla (Ruley) Orrick. By the will of Anthony Ruley, of South River, in 1710 his daughter, Priscilla Orrick, came into possession of "Beetenson's Adventure" on South River. By the will of James Orrick, his daughter Mary inherited one-third of his estate. Her mother inheriting one-third and became the wife of Abraham Woodward, son of William Woodward, of Lougon. William Woodward of Abraham Woodward married Jane Ridgely, daughter of William and Jane (Westall) Ridgely, Jr. William Woodward, Jr. married Alice, daughter of William and Mary (Orrick) Ridgely, III. Their son Henry Woodward, born 1770, married Eleanor, widow of Philip Turner and daughter of Col. Thomas Williams by his wife Rachel Duckett.

William and Mary (Orrick) Ridgely had issue: WILLIAM IV; NICHOLAS; JOHN; HENRY; GREENBERRY; PRISCILLA Griffith; JANE Woodward; MARY Pumphrey; SOPHIA Pumphrey; and ANN Rigby. William Ridgely III's will of 1778, probated 1780, granted sons John, Henry, and Greenberry four tracts of land, "Ridgely's Chance," "Spanish Oak," "Good Luck," and "Piney Grove." One-third of the estate was left to his wife Mary.



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***1 b. WESTALL RIDGELY**

*Westall Ridgely was born in 1705 to William and Jane (Westall) Ridgely, Jr. in Ann Arundale County, Maryland. In 1730, he married Sarah Isaac, daughter of Richard and Sarah (Pottinger) Isaac, who was born in 1714 in Ann Arundale. Westall inherited "Ridgely's Chance" in Fredrick County, where he died between 1769 to 1772, naming his heirs: SARAH, WILLIAM, JANE, DEVERELLA, ISAAC, JACOB, *ALICE, MARTHA, RICHARD, and JEMIMA. Little is known about them.

1 b B. WILLIAM RIDGELY

This William was the first son of Westall and Sarah (Isaac) Ridgely. He married on February 8, 1803, Nancy Woodard.

1 b C. JANE (RIDGELY) WOODARD

Jane was the second daughter of Westall and Sarah (Isaac) Ridgely. She married her cousin William Woodard, son of her aunt Alice Ridgely, sister to her father. William Woodard died in 1807. He probably was the brother to Nancy Woodard who married William Ridgely.

***1 b G. ALICE (RIDGELY) HILL**

*Alice was the seventh child of Westall and Sarah (Isaac) Ridgely born in Fredricktown, Maryland. She married Henry Truman Hill, who moved from Fredrick County, Maryland, in 1779 to the 96th District of South Carolina. Their children were JOSEPH, SARAH, *RUTH, and ELIZABETH. More is told about this family in the Hill section of this book. Ruth is my great-great-great-grandmother.



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ISAAC

Tradition in the family is that the first settlers of this name to Maryland were two brothers who came from England as officers of the English Government in charge of certain political prisoners. *JOSEPH ISAACKE may have been one of these two as he came from England to Calvert County, Maryland. However, other records show an EDWARD ISAAC and an ANN ISAAC that immigrated to Maryland from England in 1665. Also a MATHEW ISAAC that was transported to Maryland from England as a servant in 1667 and a STEPHEN ISAAC transported in 1676. Joseph may have been a young son of Edward and Ann Isaac or one of the English officers who have no records that are known. Very soon after the ISAACKE name arrived it was changed to ISAAC.

*JOSEPH ISAAC had a wife named Margaret and according to his will of December 29, 1688, probated February 23, 1689, in Calvert County, Maryland, they had at that time four children: *RICHARD, JOSEPH, ELIZABETH, and REBECCA. To son Richard he left 100 acres to be received when Richard reached 21 years of age. To son Joseph he left personality to be received at age 16 years. To his daughter Elizabeth he left personality. To his daughter Rebecca and son-in-law Joseph Brown he left personality. His wife Margaret received the residue of the estate which was to be equally divided among the children upon her death which appears to have been shortly after his death. They must have both died not too old. The witness of this will was Thomas Beall.

*1. RICHARD ISAAC

Richard was a son of Joseph and Margaret Isaac, born in 1679 in Calvert County, Maryland. About 1710 he married Sara Pottinger. He was a gentleman planter and a vestry man of Queen Ann's Parish, Prince Georges County, and later a Justice of Peace in 1753, dying in 1759. Sara died sometime after 1743. Their children were MARY, *SARAH, JOSEPH, RACHEL, KEZIA, RICHARD, DRUSCILLA, and JEMIMA.

1 a. MARY (ISAAC) PEACH

Mary was born May 4, 1712, to Richard and Sarah (Pottinger) Isaac. she married in 1730 Joseph Peach. Her death came in 1789 at 77 years of age.

*1 b. SARAH (ISAAC) RIDGELY

Sarah was the second daughter of Richard and Sarah (Pottinger) Isaac, born in 1714 in Queen Ann's Parish, Prince George County, Maryland. She married Westall Ridgely, whom she outlived by some 17 years, dying in 1789 at age 75. They had made their home in Fredricktown, Maryland. They had ten children all listed under the Ridgely section.



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1 c. JOSEPH ISAAC

Joseph was the first son of Richard and Sarah (Pottinger) Isaac, born in 1715. His home was named "Story Plains." He served as a Justice of the Peace and married after 1745 Hanna Bryant as her first husband. She outlived him and remarried, then died in 1799. Joseph died sometime between 1771 and 1774.

1 d. RACHEL (ISAAC) JONES

Rachel was born to Richard and Sarah (Pottinger) Isaac on July 2, 1716. She was married to a Jones.

1 e. KEZIA (ISAAC) FOWLER

Kezia was born February 5, 1719, in Maryland to Richard and Sarah (Pottinger) Isaac. She married Benonie Fowler.

1 f. RICHARD ISAAC

Richard was a son of Richard and Sarah (Pottinger) Isaac, born on January 21, 1720 or 1721. He married Sarah Jacob.

1 g. DRUSILLA (ISAAC) FOWLER

Drusilla was born on April 5, 1723, to Richard and Sarah (Pottinger) Isaac. Her husband was a Fowler, possibly the brother of Benonie Fowler who married her sister Kezia. This is the earliest individual in my ancestors tree in which I find my mother's name Drucilla used. Possibly this is the source of the numerous uses of it in the Whitmire family.

1 h. JEMIMA (ISAAC) JACOB

Jemima was the last child of Richard and Sarah (Pottinger) Isaac. She was born on May 21, 1727. She married Mordecai Jacob, probably the brother of Sarah who married Richard Isaac.



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POTTINGER

*JOHN POTTINGER transported to Maryland in 1665, apparently from England. He was a staunch Presbyterian with prominence and influence. As a large land owner he had numerous slaves. The home place was called "Major's Lot" on the Collington Branch of the Potuxent River, five miles above upper Marlborough, Maryland. In 1687 he married Mary Beall, daughter of Col. Ninivan Beall, found under the Beall family. Their first child, born in 1688, was SARAH, who is a direct ancestor of the Ruth Hill that married Henry Whitmire. Other children born to John Pottinger were SAMUEL, ROBERT, WILLIAM, RACHEL, VERLINDER, and JOHN, JR. Whether these are all by his first wife Mary Beall or some by his second wife Elizabeth Magruder is unknown. In his will dated August 2, 1734, that was probated April 5, 1735, in Prince Charles County, Maryland, he left the following legacies: To son Samuel and Robert executors and heirs, house and lot at Queen Ann Town and personality; to son Samuel and heirs, twenty acres adjoining one hundred-eighty acres already conveyed to him by gift of deed; to grandsons Samuel and Robert, sons of Samuel, personality; to grandson Robert and heirs, son of Robert, one hundred twenty-six acres dwelling plantation; to grandson William and heirs, son of son William deceased, one hundred twenty-three acres of the plantation where his father lived, said plantation to be in possession of executor until he is sixteen, if without issue to sons Samuel and Robert; to grandson John Purnell, son of daughter Rachel one hundred acres, "Newberry," on north side of Watt's Branch, to daughter Verlinder Wade and heir, two hundred acres "As Good As We Can Get," on Muddy Creek; to Rev. Ormi, subscription, one year; to children, their book debts, sons Robert, Samuel, daughter Sarah Isaac, Rachel Purnell, Verlinder Wade, William's child and daughter Mary Holms child at sixteen.

***1. SARAH (POTTINGER) ISAAC**

Sarah was the first child born to John and Mary (Beall) Pottinger in 1688. She married Richard Isaac and they had eight children: MARY, *SARAH, JOSEPH, RACHEL, KEZIA, RICHARD, DRUSILLA, and JEMIMA. Their history is to be found under the Isaac family section of this book.

2. SAMUEL POTTINGER

Samuel was the son of John and Mary (Beall) Pottinger, inheriting the house and lot at Queen Ann's Town along with personality and twenty acres to add to 180 acres his father had already deeded to him. He probably was the older living son as he and Robert were the executors of his father's estate. His children were SAMUEL and ROBERT at the time of his father's death.



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3. ROBERT POTTINGER

Robert, another son of John and Mary (Beall) Pottinger, married a girl named Ann and died in the next three year period after his father's death. No children had been born by 1734. He had inherited the 126 acre dwelling plantation.

4. WILLIAM POTTINGER

William was the son of John and Mary (Beall) Pottinger and had died before his father's death in 1735, leaving a boy WILLIAM. William, Jr., inherited 123 acres of the plantation his father had lived on from his grandfather. In 1734 he was not yet 16 years old.

5. RACHEL (POTTINGER) PURNELL

Rachel, a daughter to John and Mary (Beall) Pottinger, married Richard Purnell before 1719. Their boys at the time of her father's death were JOHN and RICHARD. John received 100 acres on the north side of Watt's Branch called "Newberry".

6. VERLINDER (POTTINGER) WADE

Verlinder was a daughter of John and Mary (Beall) Pottinger. She married Zephaniah Wade, the son of Robert Wade, who was the brother to Sarah Wade who married George Westall, another ancestor of mine.

7. JOHN POTTINGER, JR.

John, Jr., was a son of John and Mary (Beall) Pottinger who predeceased his father. John, Jr.'s will was dated March 18, 1719, and probated March 24, of the same year. He named his wife Sarah to receive his entire estate in Maryland and England. He also named an unborn child and John Orme. The overseers were father John Pottinger, brother Richard Purnell, brothers Samuel and Robert Pottinger. The family were Presbyterians.



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BEALL

*COL. NINIAN BEALL, born in 1625 in Largo, Fifeshire, Scotland, was commissioned in the Scotch-English Army raised to resist Cromwell. In the Battle of Dunbar against Cromwell, Col. Beall was taken prisoner and sentenced to five years servitude, September 3, 1650. He was sent with 150 other Scotsmen to Barbadoes, West Indies. In 1652 they appeared in a province of Maryland. Ninian Beall served his five years with Richard Hall, a planter of Calvert County, Maryland. It seems these military prisoners were entitled to 50 acres of public land after completing their service which he proved on in 1677. The records of Annapolis for Lord Baltimore's yacht of war named "Loyall Charles of Maryland" shows Ninian as a Lt. on October 31, 1668. Then shortly as a Capt. he received a warrant to 500 acres given by Lord Baltimore of Calvert County. In 1684 Ninian became Deputy of Charles Co. He took an active part in the revolution of 1689. It was a disaster to most of the leaders but he was appointed Chief Military Officer of Calvert County. Then in 1692 he was the High Sheriff of Calvert County. By 1694 he was Colonel of the Militia to treat with the Indians. All the while from 1679 to 1710 he served as a member of the General Assembly. The Assembly passed an Act in 1699 that reads: "An act of gratitude to Colonel Ninian Beall," a high tribute to his efficient and untiring loyalty. In 1696 he was appointed Commander-in-Chief of the Rangers and also took an oath as a member of the House of Burgesses for Calvert County. Being a great Indian fighter he also had a peaceful side to his life. In 1690, two hundred Presbyterians immigrants came to Maryland under his supervision. He gave the church land on the Potomac River at "New Scotland". As a member of the Assembly in 1699 he signed the petition to King William III for establishment of the Church of England in Maryland, although he was a Presbyterian Elder. Col. Ninian Beall married Ruth Moore, age 16, daughter of Richard and Jane Moore of St. Mary's County, Maryland. They had numerous children: GEORGE; CHARLES; NINIAN JR.; JOHN; THOMAS; *MARY; SARAH; ESTHER; JANE; RACHEL; MARGY; and JAMES. Two of the girls married Magraders, one an Edmonston, another Andrew Hamilton. Descendents through the Whitmire - Hill - Ridgely - Isaac - Pottinger - Beall lineage are eligible to membership in societies of Colonial Wars, Colonial Dames. The name Beall in later generations in some cases was changed to Bell. Col. Ninian died at the age of 92 in very feeble condition as indicated by his mark for a signature. The will was probated between January 15 and February 28, 1717, in Prince Charles County, Maryland. Many thousands of acres were left to his family.

1. GEORGE BEALL

George, a son of Col. Ninian and Ruth (Moore) Beall, inherited from his father 400 acres on Rock Creek named "Rock of Dumbarton" upon which Georgetown was later built. Col. George Beall married Elizabeth Brooke, daughter of Col. Thomas Brooke and his second wife, Barbara Dent.



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2. CHARLES BEALL

Charles was a son of Col. Ninian and Ruth (Moore) Beall. His wife's name was Mary. Col. Ninian left him as an inheritance 1,000 acres, "Dunn Back," on Watt's Creek. Charles became a captain and died in 1739.

3. NINIAN BEALL, JR.

Ninian Beall, Jr., son of Col. Ninian and Ruth (Moore) Beall, married Elizabeth Magruder and they had a son SAMUEL and a daughter MARY according to his will of November 10, 1710. It was probated January 6, 1711, in which he left Elizabeth, his wife, "Beginning of Samuel Beall". To his son Samuel he bequeathed part of "Collington" and "Beall's Mill". To his daughter he gave "The Addition of Baron Hill". Later in 1717 Col. Ninian left to his granddaughter Mary, still not of age, "Bacon Hill" and "Sam's Beginning"; to his grandson Samuel, also not of age, he left "Bacon Hill". They were to be assisted until age 21 by their uncles Charles and George Beall and Joseph Belt.

5. THOMAS BEALL

Thomas, a son of Col. Ninian and Ruth (Moore) Beall, died in 1708 naming his brothers John and George as heirs in his will. His brother Ninian was the executor.

6. ANDREW HAMILTON

One of Col. Ninian Beall's daughters married Andrew Hamilton to whom Col. Ninian left property in his will.

7. ESTHER (BEALL) BELT

Another of Col. Ninian Beall's several daughters, Esther married Col. Joseph Belt as his first wife to whom Col. Ninian left 245 acres, "Good Luck".

*8. MARY (BEALL) POTTINGER

Mary, a daughter of Col. Ninian and Ruth (Moore) Beall, married JOHN POTTINGER. They had seven children: *SARAH, SAMUEL, ROBERT, WILLIAM, RACHEL, VERLINDER, and JOHN, JR. These families will be found in the Pottingers family section of this book. Sarah married RICHARD ISAAC in 1688.



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WESTALL

*GEORGE WESTALL was of West River, Ann Arundale County, Maryland. He married Sarah Wade, daughter of Robert Wade. They had at least three children: *JANE, GEORGE, and JOHN. On his 1200 acre estate Col. William Burgess located the once flourishing town of London or Londontown.

***1. JANE (WESTALL) RIDGELY**

Jane was a daughter of George and Sarah (Wade) Westall, born in 1682 in Maryland. She married *WILLIAM RIDGELY, JR. and their children were WILLIAM III, *WESTALL, SARAH, JOHN, MARTHA, and ALICE. Westall Ridgely married Sarah Isaac. These families will be found in the Ridgely and Isaac family sections of this book.

2. GEORGE WESTALL, JR.

George was a son of George and Sarah (Wade) Westall of Maryland. The executor of his will, dated June 23, 1718, and probated October 6, 1718, was his wife Ann to whom he left the residue of his personal estate, divided with the children that they would receive when they reached 18 years of age. He had two sons: GEORGE, III and RICHARD to whom he left 365 acres, a dwelling plantation, "Jackson's Venture". George was to have first choice of share but neither son to disturb their mother on said plantation during her life. He also left personality to a cousin Thomas Bayle and a brother John.



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WADE

***1. ZACHARY WADE**

*ZACHARY WADE was transported from England to Maryland in 1641 as a servant. He married a daughter of Thomas Hinson and they had at least three children: RICHARD, ROBERT, and THEODOSIA. He must have become independent and wealthy very early. According to his will of March 5, 1677, and probated in Charles County, Maryland, on May 25, 1677, he left to his eldest son Richard 550 acres, "Limmie" and "Limmie's Enlargement"; 400 acres "Wadison and Wadison's Enlargement"; and 1/2 of 1060 acres "Locust Thicket", being land bought by testator and brother Randolph Hinson, from Thomas Brooks; also, land at head of Piscatawa Creek. To his son Robert he left 600 acres, part of "Market Overton"; 500 acres "Forest Green"; 350 acres, "Stoney Harbor" on Piscatawa Creek; and 200 acres, "Friendship". To his daughter Theodosia he left land on east branch of Piscatawa taken up by testator and brother, Luke Gardner; also the remainder of "Market Overton". To Mary Hinson he left personality. He further mentions his brother-in-law Randolph Hinson and appointed him executor along with William Holton.

***1 B. ROBERT WADE, SR.**

*Robert was the second son of Zachary Wade, died in 1694 in Maryland. He had five children: ROBERT, JANE, PERSEVERANCE, TEMPERANCE, and *SARAH. Robert, Sr., had received in 1677 considerable holdings from his father consisting of 1,600 acres. He died in South River, Ann Arundale County, Maryland in 1694. His will was dated September 28, and probated November 13 of the same year, leaving to his son Robert 100 acres adjoining his plantation, he dying without issue to pass to grandson Robert Bayley. To his daughter Jane he left a plantation. To his daughter Temperance he gave the plantation aforesaid should daughter Janedie without issue. To Thomas Bayley (son-in-law) and daughter Perseverance Bayley, and to grandchild Jane Westall he gave personality. The overseers were son-in-law George Westall, William Bateman and Sarah (Wade) Westall.

1 B a. ROBERT WADE, JR.

Robert was the first son of Robert Wade, Sr., born in Maryland. His inheritance from his father stayed in his family since he had at least one son, ZEPHANIA who married Valinder Pottinger, sister of Sarah Pottinger who married Richard Isaac of ny ancestors.



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1 B c. PERSEVERANCE (WADE) BAYLEY

Perseverance was a daughter of Robert Wade, Sr. She married Thomas Bayley and in 1694, at the time of her father's death, they had one child PERSEVERANCE, who gained some personal inheritance from her grandfather.

*1 B d. SARAH (WADE) WESTALL

*Sarah, a daughter of Robert Wade, Sr., married George Westall of West River, Ann Arundale County, Maryland. Their children were *JANE; GEORGE, JR.; and JOHN. Jane married *WILLIAM RIDGELY, JR., and raised six children, dying in 1748, that are listed in the Ridgely family section. George, Jr., married Ann and died in 1717.

2. JOHN WADE

Dr. John Wade of Chilvecoton, Warwickshire, England, immigrated to Maryland in 1648, seven years after his brother ZACHARY was transported to America as a servant. He left the following will probated on September 4, 1658. To son Edward and heirs, all property belonging to testator and his wife, Mary, which was given to them by Edward Atkins of Chilvecoton in Warwickshire, by will or by deed of gift. To daughter MARY WADE personality which is to be paid at death of Nicolas Haukins and Elizabeth his wife, the bond of which money is in hands of John Wade of Chilvecoton. To son JOHN WADE, son of Anne Smith, who formerly lived with testator in Maryland, personality in event of death of daughter Mary during minority. Said personality to pass in turn to son Edward aforesaid and to Ann Smith aforesaid and then to child of brother William Wade in Cecil Warwickshire. To Ann Smith and child aforesaid testator, residue of estate, real and personal. William Wright, Zacharias Wade, John Harwood, James Johnson to have property until coming to Ann Smith. Administrator was Zachary Wade.



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HINSON

*THOMAS HINSON, born in England, immigrated to Maryland in 1651 as a young man and died there in 1669. He transported with him his wife GRACE and their children ANN, GRACE, and JOHN. In 1669 a son THOMAS, JR., arrived as did three other Hinsons: (1) Ann Hinson in 1663 a servant to wife of Thomas Hinson of Talbot County, gentleman; (2) Philip Hinson in 1658; and (3) William Hinson in 1650. What relations these other Hinsons may be is unknown. Thomas Hynson was the original spelling which he readily changed to Hinson. Upon his arrival, he was appointed "Clerk of The Isle of Kent", a most high office, then "High Sheriff of Ye County", As a lawyer he was a man of large means and influence. He brought over several importations of servants. One of his daughters married Zachary Wade.

1. THOMAS HINSON, JR.

Thomas, Jr., was born in England of Thomas and Grace Hinson, coming to Maryland after his father's family in 1669 after his father's death. He also was a transporter of many servants. The family estates of extensive holdings passed down through his posterity.

2. ZACHARY WADE

*One of Thomas Hinson's daughters married Zachary Wade and their family is listed in the Wade section of this book.



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HAGOOD

The English spelling of this name was first HAGUEWOOD. *FRANCIS HAGUEWOOD was the first arrival of the name, changing it to HAGWOOD. His will dated January 3, 1676, was probated in Surry County, Virginia, on May 7, 1677. A descendent of his was *REUBIN HAGOOD.

***1. REUBIN HAGOOD**

Reubin was a descendent of Francis Haguewood of England. Among the children of him and his wife Phoebe there was a son WILLIAM who was born in Virginia. Reubin was a resident of Bute and Warren County, North Carolina, in 1783.

***1 a. REV. WILLIAM HAGOOD**

William was a son of Reubin and Phoebe Hagood of Virginia. His wife was Sarah Johnson by whom he had children. Three of these were *PHOEBE SARAH, WILLIAM, and JOHNSON. In 1772 he moved his family to the 96th District, South Carolina, from Virginia.

***1 a A. PHOEBE SARAH (HAGOOD) WHITMIRE**

Phoebe Sarah was born in 1752 in Virginia to Rev. William and Sarah (Johnson) Hagood. After the family moved to the 96th District, South Carolina, in 1772, she met and married George Fredrick Whitmire in 1774. They had eight known children: RACHEL, CHRISTOPHER, *HENRY, WILLIAM, THOMAS, JOHN FRANKLIN, MOSES, and CHARITY, all of which are listed and the story is told in the Whitmire family section of this book. She died in 1817 at 65 years of age.

1 a B. WILLIAM HAGOOD, JR.

William was the son of Rev. William and Sarah (Johnson) Hagood. According to the 1790 census of the 96th District, South Carolina, he had a family of eight children, five sons and three daughters, and his wife with five slaves.

1 a C. JOHNSON HAGOOD

Johnson was possibly the last of Rev. William and Sarah (Johnson) Hagood's family being born in 1772. He married Mary Ann O'Hear and became a lawyer in



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Charleston later a planter in Barnwell, South Carolina. One of their sons was DR. JAMES O'HEAR HAYGOOD, M.D., (1804-1873) who married Indiana McAllen. They had two sons of note JOHNSON HAYGOOD (1829-98), Brig. Gen CSA and Governor of South Carolina 1881-83; and LEE HAYGOOD (1846-98) soldier of CSA, Lt. Col. on staff of Gov. Hugh S. Thompson, South Carolina. Lee married in 1871 Kathleen Rosa Tobin (1851-1914). Of this line Gen. Johnson Hagood USA in 1926 was born.



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APPENDIXES



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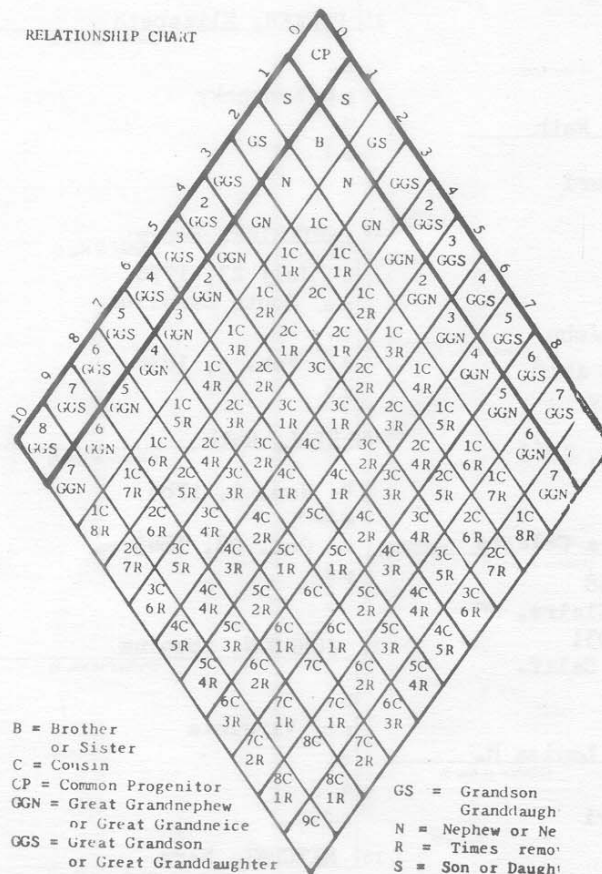
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RELATIONSHIPS

The following chart is enclosed to assist you in figuring relationships on your lineal or collateral lines, close and distant. This chart shows relationships of descendents to a progenitor, so the relationship between the progenitor's descendents in any combination of degrees from him down to the tenth generation. This is the most universal system used in all courts of law and genealogical societies.

The upper two columns are outlined in heavy lines. These are the common progenitor and his descendents. "CP" stands for common progenitor, the one who is the head of the two lines of descendents. "S" is his son or daughter; "GS" his grandson or granddaughter; "GGS" his great-grandson or granddaughter; "2GGS" his second great-grandson or granddaughter, etc. Locate your common progenitor of the one you are attempting to establish a relationship to and place his name in CP. Run your relationship down one side from him and the relationship of your relative down the other side. Where these two reference points cross in the inner portion of the chart will establish your true relationship.

RELATIONSHIP CHART





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Ancestor Chart

Name of Compiler _____
 Address _____
 City, State _____
 Date _____

Person No. 1 on this chart is the same person as No. _____ on chart No. _____

Chart No. _____

1 ROWLAND, Drucilla Ruth
 b. Nov. 24, 1893
 p.b. Sullivan, Missouri
 m.
 d. Jan. 11, 1939
 p.d. Pueblo, CO

2 ROWLAND, Grills Elliot
 (Father of No. 1)
 b. 1851
 p.b.
 m. 1880
 d. 1898
 p.d. Sullivan, MO.

3 WHITMIRE, Lura Celeste
 (Mother of No. 1)
 b. June 8, 1858
 p.b. Near St. Claire, MO
 d. Feb. 5, 1931
 p.d. Glendale, Calif.

4 ROWLAND, Burl
 (Father of No. 2)
 b. 1819
 p.b. Missouri
 m.
 d.
 p.d.

5 ISABELLA, Susanna Caroline
 (Mother of No. 2)
 b. 1820
 p.b. Kentucky
 d.
 p.d.

6 WHITMIRE, John
 (Father of No. 3)
 b. Dec. 25, 1818
 p.b. Kentucky
 m.
 d. Oct. 16, 1865
 p.d.

7 JOHNSON, Louisa M.
 (Mother of No. 3)
 b. 1826
 p.b. Missouri
 d.
 p.d.

8 ROLAND, Archibald
 (Father of No. 4)
 b. 1790
 p.b. North Carolina
 m. Feb. 23, 1809
 d.
 p.d.

9 CRAWFORD, Susanah
 (Mother of No. 4)
 b. 1790
 p.b. Virginia
 d.
 p.d.

10 ISBELL, Jason, Jr.
 (Father of No. 5)
 b.
 p.b. Georgia
 m. Oct. 5, 1807
 d.
 p.d.

11 PARKER, Elizabeth
 (Mother of No. 5)
 b.
 p.b. Kentucky
 d.
 p.d.

12 WHITMIRE, Henry
 (Father of No. 6)
 b. July 23, 1776
 p.b. South Carolina
 m.
 d. Feb. 5, 1836
 p.d.

13 HILL, Ruth
 (Mother of No. 6)
 b. Jan. 1, 1785
 p.b.
 d. Oct. 28, 1843
 p.d.

14 JOHNSON, Absolum
 (Father of No. 7)
 b.
 p.b. Virginia
 m.
 d.
 p.d.

15 MITCHEL, Mary
 (Mother of No. 7)
 b.
 p.b. Virginia
 d.
 p.d. 108

16 ROLAND, Jessie
 (Father of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m.
 d.

17 _____
 (Mother of No. 8, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

18 CRAWFORD, John
 (Father of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m.
 d.

19 _____
 (Mother of No. 9, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

20 ISBELL, Jason L.
 (Father of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m.
 d.

21 _____
 (Mother of No. 10, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

22 PARKER, Nathaniel
 (Father of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m.
 d.

23 _____
 (Mother of No. 11, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

24 WHITMIRE, George Fredrick
 (Father of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b. 1740
 m. 1774
 d. June 23, 1829

25 HAGOOD, Sarah Phoebe
 (Mother of No. 12, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b. 1752
 d. June 13, 1817

26 HILL, Henry Truman
 (Father of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m.
 d.

27 RIDGELY, Alice
 (Mother of No. 13, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

28 _____
 (Father of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m.
 d.

29 _____
 (Mother of No. 14, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

30 _____
 (Father of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 m.
 d.

31 _____
 (Mother of No. 15, Cont. on chart No. _____)
 b.
 d.

OWENS, Robert Percy
 (Spouse of No. 1)
 b. 1893
 p.b. Gardner, CO
 d.
 p.d.



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At the Courthouse at Philad^a. Oct^r 12th 1741

*Present.
The Hon^{ble} George Thomas Esq^r Lieut. Governor
Samuel Haselt & Abraham Taylor Esq^r*

*The Settlers whose Names are underwritten imported in the
Ship Friendship Alex^r Thomson Master from Rotterdam
but lost from Cowes - did this day take this Oath to the
Government viz*

<i>Andreas H Hubert</i>	<i>Jaob Lint</i>
<i>Philip Hübner</i>	<i>Hans George O. Kaldriter</i>
<i>Johann Georg Miltner Esq^r</i>	<i>Philip Kaldriter</i>
<i>Johann Peter Brann</i>	<i>Peter O. Kaldriter</i>
<i>Satini Duffer</i>	<i>Caspar O. Rouland</i>
<i>Jaob Lint</i>	<i>Daniel H. Hubert</i>
<i>Georg + Hirt</i>	<i>George H. Hubert</i>
<i>Jaob Lint</i>	<i>Nicklaus Brandy</i>
<i>Wilhelm N. Erhart</i>	<i>Nicklas + Klan</i>
<i>Johann Gufant</i>	<i>nicht las gold bander</i>
<i>Johann Georg Siebold</i>	<i>Carl H. Snyder</i>
<i>Ant. Job Krommrich</i>	<i>Wilhelm R. Antes</i>
<i>Johann Jacob Fuchs</i>	<i>Johann Georg Fuchs</i>
<i>Adam Liden</i>	<i>William H. Kaldriter</i>
<i>William Fink</i>	<i>Johann Caspar Fuchs</i>
<i>Matthias Fuchs</i>	<i>Johann Georg Fuchs</i>
	<i>William Fuchs</i>
	<i>Casimir H. Wessel</i>
	<i>Johann H. Lint</i>

*Ship Friendship, October 12, 1741,
List 86 C.*

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284 At the Court House, October Novem^r 10: 1767

Present
John Gibson, Esquire.

The Foreigners whose names are underwritten imported
in the Ship Sally Patrick Brown Master from Rotterdam
but last from Cones, did this day take and subscribe the
usual Qualifications — 62 whole Trights

Consign'd to M^r J. "13 of Muck"
23 Nov. 1767

62 whole Trights
31 in the List.

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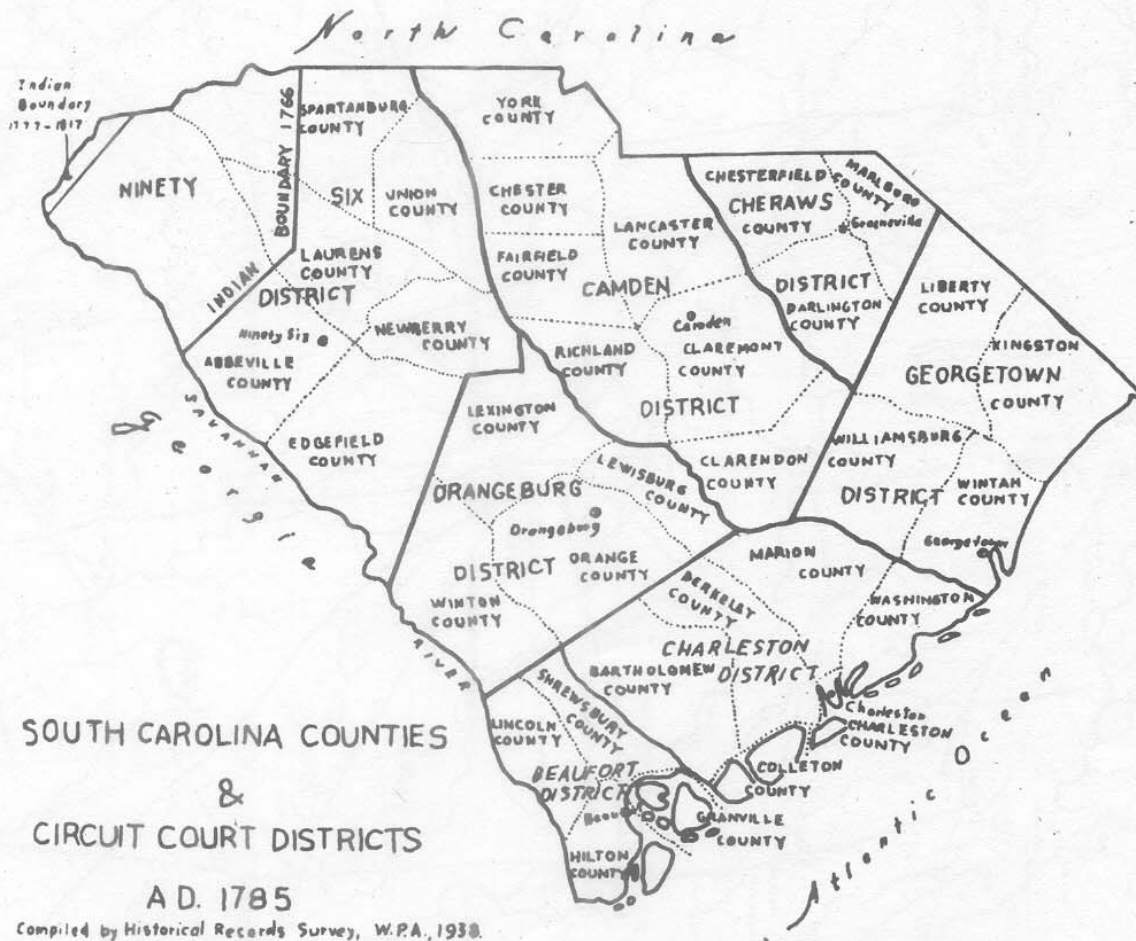
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 Valentin F. t. Nepal
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 Berlyz Jacob Gubler
 Johann Peter
 Johann Christian Roth
 Johann Gubler
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 March Gubler.
 Johann Peter
 Martin Weinling
 Henry t. Schaubt Math

Ship Sally, November 10, 1767.
List 260 C.



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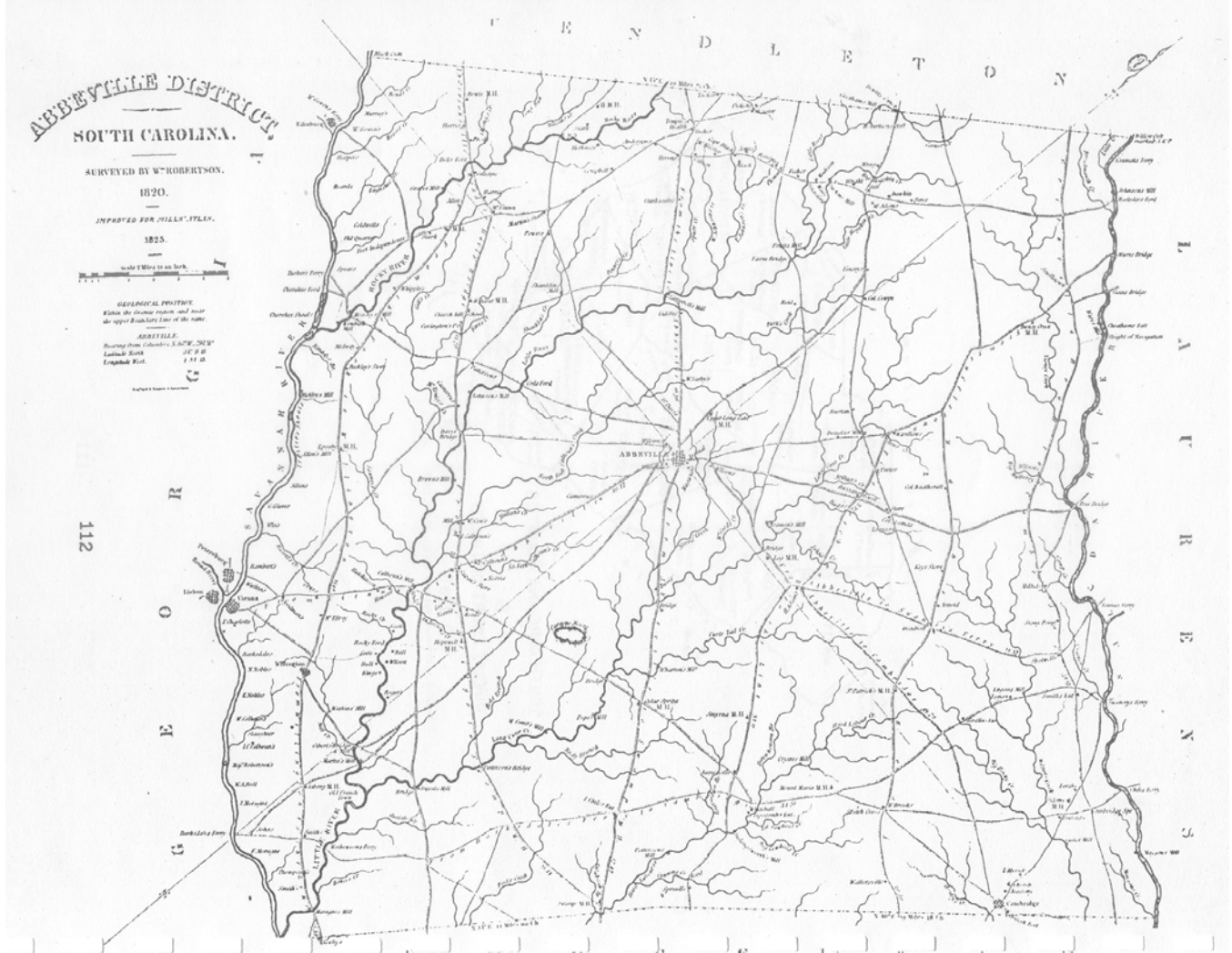
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FAMILY RECORD.

Henry Whitmire was
born the 22^d day of
July in the year of our
Lord and Saviour
Jesus Christ 1776

Ruth Whitmire was
born the 15th day of
January AD 1785

Thomas Whitmire was
born the 12 day of
December AD 1804

William Whitmire was
born the 16 day of
May AD 1807

Sarah Whitmire was
born the 21 day of
May AD 1809

Phoebe Whitmire was
born the 11 day of
August AD 1811

Moses Whitmire was born
the 31 day of March
AD 1814

Drusilla Whitmire
was born the 24 day
of September AD 1816

John Whitmire was
born the 21 day of
December AD 1818

Frederic Whitmire
was born the 11 day
of April AD 1822

Henry Whitmire the
youngest was born the
4 of July AD 1826

First Page of the Family Bible of Henry Whitmire
Published 1827



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FAMILY RECORD.

Christian W. Clark was
born the 12th day of
May A.D. 1832

James R. Clark was
born July 11th A.D. 1834

Second Page of the Family Bible of Henry Whitmire
Published 1827



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FAMILY RECORD.

Henry Whitmire son
of Thomas Whitmire
was born on the 3rd
of March A.D. 1828

Thomas S Whitmire
was born on the 15th
of October A.D. 1829

Ben J. Brown.

Minnie E. Brown.

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FAMILY RECORD.

Henry Whitmire
departed this life
February 5th AD 1836

Ruth Whitmire died
Oct 28th AD 1843

Frederick M. Whitmire
departed this life
on the 15th Day of
Feb^y 1855
about 7 o'clock P.

William Crow
departed this
life Jan. 18th 1868
4 o'clock P.M.

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departed this
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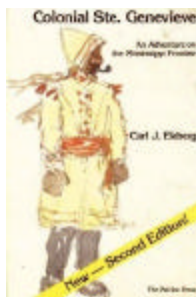
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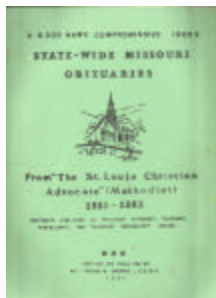


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A	85	6 Jun 1843	Ackerson, David	Mathews, Rebecca	John F. Mudd JP
A	261	21 Dec 1854	Adair, William	Johnson, Melvina	J. B. Allen JP
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B	144	21 Aug 1862	Abbott, Andrew J. ¹	Joines, Johnnah	William Thurman JP

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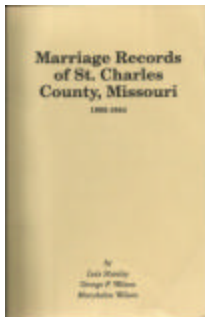
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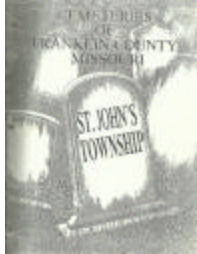
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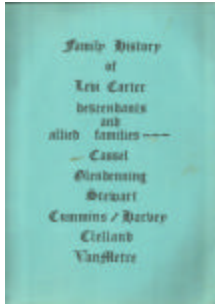
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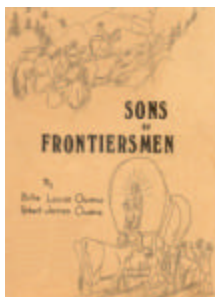


"Family History of Levi Carter Descendants and Allied Families---Cassel, Glendenning, Stewart, Cummins/Harvey Clelland, Van Metre" (1991) by Elizabeth Carter Schnegelberger rare out-of-print spiral bound 302 pages in good condition \$75.00 plus \$7.00 postage Levi Carter Sr. and wife Susanna left New Jersey and migrated to Virginia, then North Carolina with brother John Carter Sr. and other family members. After a short stay during the Revolution, they settled in Greene County, North Carolina, later to become Tennessee. Mrs. Schnegelberger offers maps, diagrams, pictures and stories of her family, Levi's son; Elijah and Susannah (**CASSELL**) Carter and descendants and their settlement in Gentry County, Missouri.



"The Carters of Greene County, Tennessee an Early American Frontier Family" 1981 by Dr. John Denton Carter sold as a .pdf file \$25.00 plus \$5.00 postage. This rare and out-of-print book is now available on cd or as an email. Dr. John Denton Carter after years of study and research presents a history of John Carter Sr. with brothers; one such individual Levi Carter Sr. in a detailed account of their sojourn from New Jersey through the Pennsylvania and Virginia wilderness of the 1770's. Settling in Surry County, North Carolina, participating in the Revolutionary War and instrumental in the victory of King's Mountain, which led to the surrender of Cornwallis and the defeat of the British. Eventually settling in Washington County, North Carolina 1780-1781, later to become Greene County, Tennessee. The Carters began to homestead prime Native lands. Dr. Carter, using literary license coupled with documented facts gives a good account of explaining the Carter advancements on the Native frontier. Dr. John Denton Carter, obviously with a love of family history, wrote several other books on the subject, **"The Munsey ancestors of Rhoda Munsey Weems Carter (1814-1899), of Russell County, Virginia, and Newton County, Missouri"** in 1969 and **"Rhoda Munsey Weems Carter a pioneer Methodist mother of the upper south"** in 1977. This publication; **"The Carters of Greene County, Tennessee an American Frontier Family"** contains all the original 53 pages from the book, followed by a summation by Floyd Thomas Pratt. Contains documented evidence of each locale the Carters lived and Dr. Carter injects local history concerning some key players of the American frontier. Good reading offering a glimpse into the pioneer mentality of the white American 18th century expansionism.

"John Graddy (1710-1787) of Dobbs and Dublin with some of his descendants" by Benjamin Graddy, Washington D.C. July 1, 1930. P.D. Gold Publishing Co., Wilson, N.C.

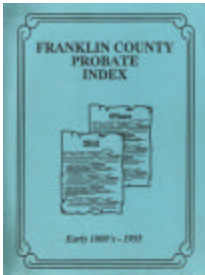


"Sons of Frontiersmen" 1976 by Billie Louise Owens and Robert James Owens 145 pages sold as a .pdf file on a cd or emailed \$25.00 plus \$5.00 postage To celebrate the bicentennial of the United States, Billie and Robert offer this glimpse into history of various families. Descended from the Rowland and Whitmire families, they present to the reader a picture of life in the old Ninety-Six District of South Carolina later to be known as the Newberry District. Many of the South and North Carolina ancestors first settled in Kentucky before moving to Missouri and points beyond. The Owens' presents an extensive look into these families.

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Outside of Washington City in Franklin County, Missouri is an old cemetery. Buried there are at least 85+ pioneers and their descendants. Mr. Pratt has complied and recorded the headstone information from each of the known inhabitants and has composed a comprehensive historical narrative covering the life of each individual. This is a unique and the "first of its kind" of research and offers glimpses into the lives of these individuals. Presented utilizing the Cradle to Grave (C2G) profile, some of these pioneers like Kincaid Caldwell and Benjamin Johnson were some of the first settlers in the Franklin County, Missouri area. Using 88 bibliographical resources with a full 16-page index, which in itself is unique, this report is a must for any researcher researching the Franklin County, Missouri area.



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All are hardbound editions and in good condition. Sell for \$100.00 for the set plus \$25.00 for postage. I am retiring and no longer can store these genealogical gems. Contact me at floydpratt59@yahoo.com

"Barton Blue Book" by Jason E. Barton 576 pages 3 ring punched \$25.00 plus \$10.00 postage Rare and out-of-print massive almost 4 inches of Barton descendants of John Barton of Virginia. Cover page states the following..."This Compilation is Dedicated to the Barton Family and its annual reunion at Tyger Baptist Church, Tigerville, South Carolina for their promotion of Brotherhood, Fellowship, Pride of Family and Genealogical Research". When researching my Barton ancestors, this book gave me a roadmap to my Barton family with their origins in England. Worn and watermarked in places, still intact and useful to the Barton family historian.

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"Still Flying and Nailed to the Mast" The Extraordinary Story of America's Boldest Insurance Company by William Bronson 1963 hardcover with jacket, 192 pages good condition \$25.00 plus \$9.00 postage.

David Jackson Staples married Mary Pratt (**WINSLOW**) in Boston, Massachusetts in 1848. This was the same year that gold had been discovered on the American River in California. David decided he had to go west to seek his fortune and with 25 men, including Mary's brother George Winslow from Newton, Massachusetts and her Uncle Jesse Winslow and others, formed the Boston-Newton Joint Stock Association. In 1848 and with the intent of going to California to participate in the gold rush, David Staples kept a journal of the trip. Traveling by train and lake steamer they reached Ohio without incident. After reaching Cairo, Illinois by April 27th and heading north to Saint Louis (City) for provisions, the party was spurred on by a cholera epidemic in St. Louis and left for Independence, Missouri by paddleboat up the Missouri River. On May 27th, Staples wrote of Indians, mule trouble, double-teaming the wagons through the wet prairie, *a party"....returning haveing lost a husband father and friend of Cholera."* Who this was and the party that returned is not mentioned. But, on June 8th, George Winslow died in Nebraska from cholera. David Staples and party continued on to California and in 1862 was one of the founders of the Fireman's Fund Insurance Company, in San Francisco. This book tells their story.

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